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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for each insertion; and pro rata for more space or longer time.

WANTED—A nurse Girl. Apply 112 Fort street. aug28-1w

WANTED—A reliable young man with business ability requires a situation; good salesman, understanding book-keeping, shorthand, and not afraid of work. Best of references. Apply H. TIMES office. aug28-1t

WANTED—A general Servant. Apply to S, TIMES office. au28-3t

WANTED—Employment by a steady middle aged man (without incumbrance) as a light porter, messenger or caretaker in a business house, or to make himself generally useful about a gentleman's farm or garden. Good references here and to England, security if required. Apply to K. J. Davis, Angel Hotel, Langley street, Victoria, B. C. au26-1w

WANTED—A Girl to do plain cooking. Apply to Mrs. P. R. Brown, Scoresby street. aug21-tf

WANTED—A general Servant for a family of four. Apply 117 Menzie street. au16-tf

WANTED—By a first class Cutter a position in a good establishment. Best of references and testimonials. Address G. R. Baker, 327 St. Lawrence street, Beauharnois, Que. aug15-tf

WANTED—Immediately; a woman servant to do cooking and general work. Good wages will be given. Apply at Mrs. Crossdaile's, Pemberton Road. au13-tf

WANTED—At once a nurse girl for small family. Apply 3 St. Lawrence street, James Bay. aug12-tf

HELP—The employers of labor will find it to their advantage to call on us, at the White Labor Employment Bureau, 94 Yates street, Victoria, when reliable help is required. Also Candies, Cigars, Fruits, etc. BINGHAM & REYNARD. jun4-3m

TO LET.

TO LET—Stores and offices on Douglas street. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. aug15

TO RENT—New five roomed Dwelling; bath room, hot and cold water, 3 lots Dallas Road. Apply Monteith & Milligan, 58 Government street. aug12-tf

TO LET.—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 153 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

BOARD.

MRS. CROWTHER'S—Private Board and Lodging House corner of Pandora and Quadra streets. Board by the meal, day or week. ju31-1m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—House and three Lots, Victoria West, beautifully situated, fine fruit trees, outbuildings, etc. A bargain at $2000. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. aug15

FOR SALE—VICTORIA WEST—Lots in meadow, rich soil, high, dry and close to tramway in Victoria West proper, $350. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. aug15

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FOR SALE—Two fine Building Lots, corner Simcoe and Croft street. Apply to Pilot Thompson, P.O. box 294, City. au25-1w

FARM FOR SALE—One hundred acres, 20 acres cultivated, 20 more partly cleared, log house and outbuildings 9 miles from town. Apply Robinson and Felling, 58 Fort St. a25-1w

FOR SALE—Store and Residence. For particulars address E. P. TIMES office, Victoria, B. C. aug26-2w

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DR. J. HALL

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VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy8 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited. W. J. QUINLAN, jel-1y Scribe E.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. R. J. PLUMMER. oc19 K. of R. & S.

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join. J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

SCAVENGERS.

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PETER HANSEN
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JOHN DOHERTY
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SAILED A HUNDRED YEARS.

Facts Concerning the Vigilant, Probably the Oldest Vessel Afloat.

A Baltimore correspondent of the New York Sun writes: A remarkable vessel, a fore-and-aft schooner of about 80 tons register burden, called the Vigilant, is now and has been regularly running from Santa Cruz to St. Thomas and vice versa, as a passenger, freight and mail packet for upward of four score years. The Vigilant, it is said, was built in Baltimore, Md., during the first years of our national independence, making her upwards of 110 years old. She was of the Baltimore class, so famed many years for speed, and must have been a wonder and a beauty when launched.

The vessel is probably the oldest known vessel afloat. But do not picture to yourself from the description of the venerable Vigilant a rickety, creaking, working tub with double gang at pumps to keep her free in any kind of seaway; a vessel with great seams, with oakum working out with every pitch into a head sea. No! She is the tightest, staunchest and soundest craft you can possibly imagine. Pumps are seldom used except to free her of water that has been washed into the washup to keep the vessel sweet. I have found less creak in her than in a fine Bangor schooner, two months old, that and I made a voyage in. She has always had the best care and attention that can possibly be given a vessel. If a bolt is defective it is backed out and replaced by a new one; if a knee beam, rib or stanchion shows a sign of rot it is strengthened or replaced; if plank, garboard, keel, keelson, stem or stern posts need it it is strengthened or made new, always rigidly preserving her original form and model. Only the best material is used in making her repairs and replacings. She is to-day, with her century and more years age, a better vessel than those cheap soft wood, thrown-together craft from Nova Scotia, just launched, that one frequently sees. I venture to say that her present owner, Mr. Pentheny would not change the Vigilant to-day for any brand new vessel of the same size built in Nova Scotia, independent of her historical value to him; She was built in the days when they they only turned off good vessels. Some years ago there was a vessel called the General Golff, whose age exceeded that of the Vigilant, the senior of all vessels. Generations have come and passed since her keel was laid, and generations may yet come and go before she ceases running, if her good luck continues.

If you wish to get your washing out of the way in the morning get a box of Pendray's electric soap. Twenty bars for one dollar.

THE WEEK'S GAYETY

AN UNUSUALLY PLEASANT SEASON INAUGURATED.

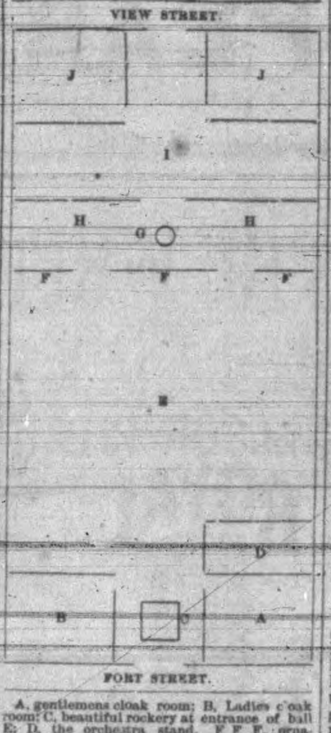
Mrs. Nelson's Garden Party—The Preparations for the Ball—Miss Chambers' Visit—For Sweet Charity, $200.00 or More—Other Social Events.

A delightful garden party was given by Mrs. Nelson yesterday afternoon to about two hundred guests. The weather was most propitious for an entertainment of that character, and the charming hospitality extended to the many visitors made it a particularly enjoyable occasion.

The C Battery band discoursed sweet music on the terraced lawns; while piano music was furnished by Professor Sharpe for the dancers in the ball room.

Many pretty costumes were worn by the ladies, and with the attractive uniforms of the naval and military men present, made a pretty sight as they strolled about the grounds, admiring the unsurpassed views to be obtained from there, of which one never tires, no matter how often beheld. An elegant luncheon, ices and iced drinks were served throughout the afternoon. At about seven o'clock the guests reluctantly withdrew from the pleasant scene.

Diagram of the Assembly rooms as they will be arranged for the citizens ball to Rear-Admiral Hotham, C. B., and Officers of the Squadron next Friday evening.



A, gentlemens cloak room; B, Ladies cloak room; C, beautiful rockery at entrance of ball E; D, the orchestra stand, F F F, ornamental trellis, separating ball room from the large ante room H H; G, fountain; I, supper room; J J, kitchens.

Already the ball-room at the Assembly rooms begins to assume an attractive appearance. So completely will it be metamorphossed by Friday night that it will be hard to recognize it as the same old place. In the centre of the wide hallway a fernery will be placed, and in each corner of the hall masses of rocks, ferns, vines and flowers will hide the rough walls. The orchestra of H. M. S. Warspite will be placed on a handsome stand to the right of the entrance. Across the lower end of the ballroom a light, graceful trellis has been erected and covered with evergreens, making a large ante-room, in the centre of which a fountain will play. This room will be profusely adorned with plants and flowers, liberally supplied with chairs and sofas, and will make a delightful retreat where one may enjoy an ice between dances. The decorations are in charge of Mr. James Moss, the florist.

The tables in the supper room have been arranged with due regard to rapid and efficient service, and will fairly groan with the abundant supply of all the delicacies of the season, which have been provided. The supper room will be in the immediate charge of Mr. Miller steward of the Union Club.

The dancing programme consists of twenty numbers, eleven waltzes, four lancers, four polkas, and a Highland schottische.

A vast amount of bunting and flags have been sent from the warships, and hundreds of pots of plants, and brilliant stands of flowers will be used in making the Assembly rooms beautiful for this occasion. Both at the entrance of the ballroom and the supper room the flags of Great Britain and the United States have been gracefully draped together in compliment of the presence of high naval representatives of the two nations who have signified their intention to be present.

The following gentlemen have charge of the arrangements: Mayor Grant, Messrs. T. R. Smith, F. S. Barnard, R. McIntosh, D. R. Harris, Joshua Davies, W. S. Bullen, J. L. Raymur, R. P. Rithet, H. K. Prior, and the hon. sec'y, J. R. Anderson.

Miss Sophie Chambers who achieved so brilliant a success at last Tuesdays concert has been visiting at Mrs. Hibbens, and is at present staying with Mrs. Gore. She leaves September fifth by the Puebla for San Francisco, her home. During her visit here Miss Chambers has received a great deal of attention from old friends of her parents, who all thoroughly appreciate her many amiable qualities.

Mrs. W. R. Higgins at the garden party yesterday received many flattering compliments upon her accompaniments at the concert.

After paying all incidental expenses a check for $200 or more will undoubtedly be handed to the Jubilee Hospital authorities. The promoters are busy settling the accounts.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

R. H. Hall, of Port Simpson, is in the city.

F. H. Osgood, of Seattle, is at the Driard.

Hon. Justice Walkem returned from the Mainland last night.

S. Hinchliffe, of Guichon's Landing, arrived in the city last evening.

P. O. Inspector Fletcher, returned last evening from the Mainland.

Hon. C. E. Pooley was a passenger inward on the Islander last night.

Ben Young, D. J. Munn and A. Ewen of the Fraser canneries, are in the city.

Mrs. W. H. Ellis and child and Miss Ellis, left this morning for Toronto. They will be absent several months.

Mrs. J. W. Green, wife of Rev. J. W. Green, of Victoria College, left England on the 22nd instant for this city.

Captain Spring, the Misses Spring, Miss Dougall, Messrs. W. and H. Carmichael, returned yesterday from a trip to Alberni. They had an enjoyable time.

NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

The British bark Titania is 113 days out from London.

The steamer Etta White, now on the Star ways, is being put into first class shape. She will be ready for launching in about a week.

The bark Hoglson arrived in the Royal Roads last evening, 46 days from Callao. She will load lumber at Hastings mill for Melbourne.

The Union Pacific's new Victoria, which is to run on the Tacoma-Port Townsend-Victoria run, will make her first trip about November 30th.

The British bark Albertine, 1504 tons, Capt. Gill, from Melbourne, Australia, has arrived at Burrard Inlet and will load with lumber at Hastings mill.

The German ship Elise, 1348 tons, Capt. Rowehl, 41 days from Hongkong, in ballast, with orders to load lumber on the coast, anchored in Royal Roads last evening. The captain reports a fine trip and all well.

The Tacoma Fishing Company's new sloop, Lady George, came into Port Townsend on Tuesday. She has been out about a week and brought in about 16,000 pounds of halibut. This proves that the enterprise will be a success. The company is negotiating for another vessel of like character as the Lady George.

CHILD WIVES IN INDIA.

Behramja Malabari's Attacks on the Land's Great Evil.

The name of Behramja Malabari deserves to be known and respected in England as that of a native Indian doing good work in social reformation. He is one of the ablest and at the same time most temperate assailants of the greatest social curse of India—infant marriage. In a pamphlet which he has published he invites English women to realize if they can the meaning of such expressions as "infant marriage," "baby wife," "girl mother," "virgin widow." As we explained the other day, if a "wife" becomes a "widow" even while still an infant, a widow she must remain all her days.

The most ill-fated of these child wives are, of course, those who become wives not merely in law but in fact at ages varying from ten to twelve. "Girls of twelve and thirteen," writes Mr. Malabari, "have to bear the burden of wifehood and motherhood," and he adds that "not a few of these married martyrs succumb to the shock of the first childbirth." This horrible, this hideous practice of child marriage, explains most, if not all, of the poverty and the misery—the physical and moral degredation—to be seen in hundreds of thousands of native Indian families. One of the worst forms of girl marriage is known as "marrying girls to the gods," which practically means slavery of body and soul to priests, great numbers of whom live upon the immorality of their girl wives. This dreadful custom of child marriage is one which the Legislature that had the courage to abolish suttee has been afraid to meddle with. It was universal. To uproot it would have seemed like uprooting native society.

But the custom is doomed, nevertheless. And its extinction will come about in a way not the least flattering to the rule of the English. The condemnation of child marriage is coming from the people themselves. Its disappearance will not be the work of a day, but when it does come it will be a splendid tribute to the benign civilizing influence of England in the East. Mr. Malabari's own countrymen, the Parsees of Bombay, have for years been laboring in the good cause with a zeal and intelligence which it would be difficult to overpraise. We have already described how the native barbers of Bombay have pronounced against the cruel custom. The educated and intelligent natives of Madras are petitioning for fixing the minimum age of girl marriage at fourteen years. Mr. Malabari's own proposals as to limit of age, right to remarry, etc., are detailed in the pamphlet to which we have referred. Nor should it be forgotten that some of the native chiefs are not only theoretically in favor of reform, but have introduced it of their own free will and without any recommendation from the Supreme Government. The intervention of the Supreme Government has been chiefly confined to collecting evidence on the question throughout the length and breadth of India, and to the distribution of papers to the local administrations.—London Daily News.

A beautiful line of china berry sets dessert plates and flower baskets at John Weiler's

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES

THE FAMOUS KELLER MINE ON FIRE.

Davis Speaks in Favor of Reciprocal Trade With South America—The Quarrel Between Buffalo Bill and Dr. Carver is Becoming Serious.

SANTA FE., Aug. 28.—The Keller mine and famous silver and lead smelters of Billings Co., are on fire and seems hopelessly doomed. The blaze is believed to have had an incendiary origin.

From the Sealing Grounds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 28.—The steamer Argo, Capt. Thomas arrived in port last evening, after a passage of nine days from Ounalaska. She brought 20,995 seal skins for the North American Trading Co., the successor of the Alaska Commercial Co.

Deaths Hand.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Levi Silberman of the firm of Silberman & Joseph, bankers and brokers died this morning, 64 years old. In his early life he was engaged in the dry goods business at Jeffersonville, Indiana, and Louisville Ky.

COTTAGE CITY, Mass.—Horace C. Wilcox of Meridan, Con., died to-day aged 66 of paralysis. He was founder and president of the Meridan Brittania works and founder and president of the Wilcox and White Organ Co., and director of the Meridan, Waterbury and Connecticut Railroad and held other positions of trust. He leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters.

Reciprocal Trade.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28—In the senate to-day Davis spoke in favor of reciprocal trade relations with the South American countries and in favor of placing binding twine on the free list.

A Fierce Row.

HAMBURG, Aug. 28.—The excitement over the fierce row between Buffalo Bill and Doctor Carver is terrible. People are afraid to come out of their doors after dark and members of each troupe have openly declared their intention to fight for their masters if the quarrel ends in a fight. There can be no doubt that it was only by the efforts of the civic authorities that bloodshed was avoided.

A Kentucky Row.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 27.—Boss Hamilton, a yard hand, and Bob Ferguson, a brakeman on the Kentucky Central Road, fought with pistols on the streets of Rowland, Ky., this morning, and both were instantly killed. Ferguson was shot near the heart and Hamilton was shot in the breast and neck. The trouble arose in remarks which Hamilton made regarding the chastity of Ferguson's wife. Hamilton was asked to prove his words, apologize or fight. He accepted the latter proposition.

Murderer Arrested.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Alexander Phillipson, who arrived on the steamer Normandie from Hamburg on Friday, was arrested by the barge officers today, charged with the murder of Dare Mayer, whose body was shipped to this city from Copenhagen last april in a barrel. Phillipson was recognized by E. P. Jacobson, who knew both him and Mayer in Copenhagen. Phillipson was arrested in Copenhagen and is said to confess the crime. He was subsequently sent to an insane asylum. He tells numerous stories concerning himself, all of which conflict in important particulars. The immigration authorities will investigate the matter. Meanwhile Phillipson will be held.

Afraid of the Consequences.

NEW YORK, Aug 27.—The Tribune's London special says: The real truth about the Russian ukase against the Jews is that it never has been promulgated because upon the morning of the day on which it was to have been signed by the Emperor, M. De Giers received an alarming dispatch from Baron Mohrenheim warning him that if the ukase was issued the Rothschilds and all other Jewish financiers, upon whom the Russian Government depends, would declare war against the empire, and that the result would be most disastrous, both financially and politically.

Jail Breakers.

OLYMPIA, Aug. 27.—Through the negligence of the sheriff six prisoners made their escape from the county jail last night, by forcing the bars and breaking the lock. Five prisoners were confined in the county jail, among whom were Angus McClane, of Shelton, who is under sentence of death for the murder of his wife.

Murderous Italians.

BOISE CITY, Aug. 27.—Word reached here last evening that Constable David Stoddard, of Bingham county, Idaho, was cut to pieces with knives by Italians at Beaver Canyon Saturday. The Italians, who are employed on the railroad, were paid off Saturday and went on a spree. They quarreled among themselves, and Constable Stobbard, fearing bloodshed, stepped in to preserve order. The entire band turned upon him and stuck him full of holes with knives, and completely severed his head from the body. Six arrests have been made. Lynching is feared if the guilty parties are found.

Western States Grow Fast.

WASHINGTON CITY, Aug. 27.—The total count of the population of the State of Idaho as made by W. C. Hunt, of the population division, and announced by the census bureau to-day, is 84,242. In 1880 the population was 32,600, an increase of 51,619 or 173.69 per cent.

Ice Cream made to order and delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161. New England Bakery Young Bros., No. 116 and 118 Government street.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11.30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange.

Brassware, combs, and artists' colors at Daley's.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

M. J. Ledingham, of this city, has written the following letter to the Seattle Post-Intelligencer:

"Urgent requests have been made by many American citizens while visiting Victoria and witnessing lacrosse matches to have two of our teams to go over to some point on the Sound and give an exhibition of the game, which they considered intensely interesting and exciting. The team at a recent meeting expressed their willingness to go over, providing suitable arrangements can be made. The final contest for the season must soon come off between New Westminster and Victoria, for which neutral grounds would be preferable, and Seattle has been selected on account of Mr. Ross Eckert residing there, who is one of the best players on the continent, and to him this communication has been sent for the purpose of arranging matters at an early date. The game has been played on the islands of Japan from time immemorial; was brought by them to this continent, and was found with the Indians residing in the northern and central part of the continent and for many years after settlement by the Caucasian was played exclusively by the red men, but the science and expertness required soon attracted the attention of the white man, and many years of hot contest passed before the red man had to take second place in the game, which now has become the national game of Canada. New York alone has fourteen clubs, and it is being played to a considerable extent in all the border states. Description of the game will be given later on if arrangements can be made at all satisfactory.

M'LEOD NOT IN IT.

A dispatch from 'Frisco states that Evan Lewis and Angus McLeod wrestled at the Orpheum theatre Tuesday for $500 a side. The condition of the contest was that Lewis should throw McLeod three times in an hour. He won the first fall in twenty-nine minutes, the second in four and the third in eleven, thus winning the match.

WHEELING.

The following letter has been published in the Vancouver papers: To C. W. Minor, captain of Island Wanderers Bicycle Club, Victoria—Permit me to offer my sincere thanks for the kindness received at your hands on the occasion of my visit to your beautiful city on the 16th instant. Although to some extent disappointed at the result of my race with Mr. Godson, I shall always gratefully remember the considerate and gentlemanly treatment shown me by every member of your club. Hoping I shall be able to reciprocate at an early date, I remain, gentlemen, respectfully yours, G. S. MASON, Vancouver, Aug. 26th, 1890.

A resident of Vancouver undertook to show his son Fred how to manipulate a bicycle the other day. The result was a fractured wrist and several bruises about the head. The bicycle was fortunately uninjured.

THE STATEMENT

That Seals Are Becoming Scarce Not Justified by Fact.

Says the San Francisco Call: About these days the papers are full of stories of the extinction of the fur seal in Behring Sea. A few years ago they were counted by millions; in one year 7,000,000 were counted on the Prybiloff Islands alone. Now we are told that the successors of the Alaska Commercial Company will find it difficult to make up the complement of 60,000 seals which they are allowed to catch this year. The wonder is where have the seals gone? It is not to be supposed that the "poachers," who never took over 40,000 in any one year, have exterminated the breed.

It would not be very surprising if it should turn out that these stories of extermination were rather designed for consumption among furriers and consumers of sealskins than as contributions to natural history. The profits of dealers in fur seals will depend on the price which skins fetch in the market. If a scare can be created by predictions of scarcity, the price may advance very materially and the profits of individuals swell accordingly. An undressed sealskin of average size is worth here something like $12.50 when it arrives from Alaska. It would be worth a great deal more if there were reason to fear that it could not be duplicated next season. The price of such luxuries as sealskin coats and wraps is regulated, like other commodities, by supply and demand.

The sealskin is the king of furs. No other fur can compare with it for beauty, warmth, durability and softness to the touch. Nor is there any other fur which is plentiful enough to supply the demand for winter wraps. Otter, sable, mink, blue fox, marten are all handsome furs and are readily salable, but there are not enough of them to go around. In every centre of wealth and luxury persons of means wear sealskin. It is as sure of a market in London, Paris, Vienna and St. Petersburgh as in New York and Chicago. And it is very doubtful whether the consumption would be seriously diminished by an advance of even 50 per cent in the price. As that would make the dealers in the furs richer than anyone ought to be, stories of the extinction of the fur seal should be received with suspicion.

Arrived.

Curling tongs and lamps, ladies pen knives, scissors, etc. and a full line of shaving materials at M. & H. A. Fox's, 74 Government street.

Suddenly Prostrated.

Gentlemen—I was suddenly prostrated while at work by a severe attack of cholera morbus. We sent at once for a doctor, but he seemed unable to help. An evacuation about every forty minutes was fast wearing me out, when we sent for a bottle of Wild Strawberry, which saved my life.—Mrs. J. S. Van Katten, Mount Bridges, Ont.

HE HELPED THE TRAMP.

A Case of Double Gratitude Observed in Western New York.

As we stood in a group in the depot waiting room at Elmira there was a scuffle and loud words, and we turned to see the depot policeman shoving a trampish looking man out of the place. It was a scene to make most of the crowd smile, as the officer was a big man and his victim a small one, but before he had him outdoors a well dressed, fine looking man stepped forward and demanded:

"Officer, has this man been guilty of any offense?"

"He's no business in here, sir," was the reply.

"Why hasn't he?"

"Because he's a tramp. My orders are to put 'em out."

"Just wait."

He brought out his wallet, handed the forlorn looking stranger two crisp, ten dollar bills, and then turned to the officer with:

"Now, let him alone. A man with $20 in his pocket is no tramp."

"God bless you, sir!" whispered the recipient of this bounty as he looked at the money in the greatest astonishment. "I'm no vagabond; I'm simply down on my luck. I was wanting to get to Buffalo, where I hope to hit a job, and I'm willing to work at anything and for any price."

Some one ventured to ask the gentleman for an explanation of his liberality, and he replied:

"Just a year ago to-night, in one of the towns on the Erie road, a tramp struck me for a quarter and got it. He must have gone off on a freight train right away, and he got a lift of twenty odd miles before he was bounced. Four hours later I took a train, and while passing from one coach to another lost my footing and was thrown off. I struck on my head and shoulders and was rendered unconscious, though not very badly hurt. When I came to there was a quarrel over my body. Two men wanted to rob me, while a third was holding them off, and when they attacked him he gave them such a drubbing that they hauled off. Then he ran to a farmhouse a quarter of a mile away, routed out the people, and helped carry me there. While I could not speak, I heard all that was said. I heard him say that he recognized me as the one who had befriended him that evening; and before he went away he insisted on taking an inventory of my personal property. I had a watch, a diamond pin, and over a thousand dollars in money; and everything was kept safe for me during the two weeks I was in the house."

"But what became of the tramp?"

"I have never seen him since. After seeing me safe at the house he started off, saying he would send a doctor from the nearest town, and I never even had the chance to thank him."—New York Sun.

The Destruction of Forests.

"We are daily wasting one of nature's richest gifts to us in our wholesale destruction of the forests," said Theodore B. Baselin of the forestry commission to a New York reporter. "And it is destroying what nature was hundreds of years in building up and which cannot be replaced for many years to come. Year after year has seen our people cutting down the woods for almost the sole purpose of getting them out of the way and with no thought of the future, until today, with the exception of the Adirondacks, New York is almost deplete of its timber growth. This is an evil in many ways. The clearing away of wood growths gives a sweep to high waters and heavy rains, which washes away much of the rich surface soil and depletes in a marked degree the fertility of the land. And this waste of fertility increases each year and must in time render the land almost sterile. Then, again, the destroying of the forests has a marked influence upon the rainfall, and one of the greatest arguments for the preservation of the Adirondacks is its protection to the great watershed of eastern New York. Scientific men claim that the forests exercise a great influence also upon the public health by the proper distribution of carbonic and other gases and regulating the equilibrium of the atmosphere. So far no state in the Union has done much in the way of protecting existing forests and but little tending to the creation of new ones. It is a subject that must receive attention some of these days and upon which the legislative bodies must act."

In the Azores.

Balconies in the Azores are as universal as in Havana, Lisbon or Madrid. Some project from supports of carved stone; others rest with airy insecurity upon fancifully wrought timbers; and still others may be seen in the daintiest patterns into which brass and iron may be wrought. All are latticed, and in this lattice work are odd little slides and gates.

From these, as you pass, you will catch glances from fair eyes, and often see smiles and coquetting looks from lovely roguish faces. The Fayal maidens must not look upon you in the street; but social custom gives them the blessed right to flirt with you desperately from the lofty and safe outposts of their balconied alcobas.

The courtyards or sagaos have an inviting look through these carelessly kept entradas. There is a suggestion of snugness in the high inclosing walls. The open court shelters the home gatherings and belongings of the average family. All its members are more or less there.

Many lovely flowers and clambering vines light up the place in winter as well as summer days. Frequently interior galleries add to the picturesqueness, for people live in these courts, and on these galleries more than in the cheerless alcobas to which they lead.

Besides, there are none so poor that the gladdening songs of matchless brown Azorean canaries are not always heard above, or blending with the gay and murmurous undertones of lazily done domestic affairs.—New York Journal.

SOME DAY—NOT NOW.

Sometime I'll perform such a wonderful deed
That men will grow breathless and pale when they read;
Some day I'll triumphantly spring with a bound
From the midst of all creatures that walk on the ground,
And, suddenly sprouting my wings, I will rise
To the heavens of fame, the observed of all eyes.
Oh, it makes my pulse throb, and it makes my blood warm,
When I think of this wonderful deed I'll perform
Some day—not now.

Sometime in the beautiful future I'll sing
A song that more clear than a trumpet shall ring;
[illegible] and through
With a love of the lovely, the good and the true,
When my brain is illumined with heavenly fire,
And the wrongs of humanity fill me with ire,
Oh, then I will sing such a magical song,
Such a cry for the right, such a blow at the wrong!
Some day—not now.

Sometime I will lay all my cowardice by,
And will dauntlessly look the bold world in the eye;
Some day I will dare the false creeds of the hour,
And will bid high defiance to custom and power.
Vain, vain to attack me with sneer or with taunt,
When my black flag you see me courageously flaunt.
Oh, I take off my cap and I drop on my knee,
And I worship the man I am going to be
Some day—not now.

Sometime I will suddenly, quietly prove
That a man can jolt out of his natural groove;
Some day I'll leave all my follies behind,
All my faults I will scornfully cast to the wind,
Emerging at once from the man I have been,
Like a serpent is said to crawl out of his skin.
Oh, it gives me such comfort to know I shall stand
With those who'll be valiant and noble and grand
Some day—not now.

—George Horton

Wandering Jews.

It is remarkable that Emin Pasha should be a Jew by birth, and one of his rescuers—Vita Hassen—a Jew by profession. But the presence of these Jews in Equatorial Africa does not stand alone. From the time of Abraham downward the migratory instinct has been dominant in the race, Mesopotamia, Canaan, Egypt, Canaan once more, Assyria, Babylonia, Persia, Canaan a third time and then the world at large—such are the successive stages of Israel's national migrations. The Jews, indeed, have ever been the "tribe of the wandering foot." In an age when movement from one country to another was a rare and hazardous proceeding—in the Twelfth century, to wit—Benjamin of Tudela and Petachia of Ratisbon traveled through a great part of Europe, Asia and Africa, and were thereby able to make considerable additions to the world's knowledge. The second Benjamin and Halevy, who explored the Felashas, may also be mentioned. The existence of Jews in out-of-the-way corners of the globe, the Felashas and Beni-Israel and the Cochin Jews, has only been made possible by the migratory tendency of the race. The four young men who kept Yom Kippur in so queer yet so touching a fashion in the wilds of South Africa are among the latest illustrations of the tendency. No doubt the wandering instinct has been strengthened by persecution, but now that peace and quietness are his in greater measure, the Jew still retains his predilection for travel.—London Jewish Chronicle.

A Little Accident at Balmoral.

The queen has been present at very few concerts for many years past. She occasionally has a noted artist to sing or play before her; but this always takes place in private, and when I sing at Balmoral there is nobody in the room but the queen and perhaps one or two of the royal family who may be staying at the castle. With regard to these little concerts, I recall a funny incident. I sat down at the piano to accompany myself, and was just beginning to sing when the legs of the stool gave way, and I rolled on the floor at the queen's feet. Her majesty was rather concerned at first, thinking I must have hurt myself; but when she saw I was all right, she burst out laughing. We all had been rather solemn before, but after my tumble everybody was so amused that it was a long while before I could proceed with my song.—Mme. Albani.

Dressing "Fast."

The old custom of dressing oneself into a walking advertisement of one's profession is fast becoming obsolete. Some of my loudest dressing customers are lawyers and doctors who have grown tired of being branded with their avocation. I don't mean to say that ministers, too, are getting to be loud dressers, but even they are making concessions that were not dreamed of ten years ago. There's a wide margin for artistic and tasteful dressing outside of black, and a wide range of handsome and wholly desirable fabrics other than broadcloth, doeskin and farmers' satin, even for professional men to choose from. It's not so much the color or the cut of the garment that makes it quiet or loud, but the way it is worn.—Tailor in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

His Fate.

Some people learn in early childhood what others are half a lifetime in discovering. Mr. T. A. Trollope tells a true story of a little boy, a relative of his own:

The child, a fine little fellow of 8 years, said something of which his mother disapproved, and she proceeded to reason with him.

"I do not like to hear you speak in that manner. You mean to be funny, but you are simply rude."

The little fellow burst into tears, and said, amid his sobs:

"There, mother, you have the secret of my life. I am always meaning to be funny, and I turn out rude."

Poor boy! He was not alone in his affliction.—Youth's Companion.

It is a law of good society in China that young widows never marry again. Widowhood is therefore held in the highest esteem, and the older the widow grows the more agreeable does her position become with the people. Should she reach fifty years, she may, by applying to the emperor, get a sum of money with which to buy a tablet on which is engraved the sum of her virtues. The tablet is placed over the door at the principal entrance to her house.

A Hard Corner.

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LOT.	BLOCK.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.	COSTS.	TOTAL.
19	12	$576 80	$63 44	$640 24
E. two thirds 24	3	67 20	7 40	74 60
One-half 25	3	89 10	9 80	98 90
W. one-half 26	3	122 80	13 56	136 30
33	3	51 00	5 61	56 61
Part 87	26	70 38	7 73	78 11
145	V	124 08	13 64	137 72
377	4	117 20	12 89	130 09
Part sub 4 of 618, 619	M	31 00	3 41	34 41
Part sub 8 of 602, 603	M	33 44	3 68	37 12
East part 876	J	27 56	3 03	30 59
East one-half 878	J	37 30	4 10	41 40
940	42	48 60	5 34	53 94
991	9	75 00	8 25	83 25
992	9	36 60	4 03	40 63
993	9	22 20	2 44	24 64
997	17	35 50	3 90	39 40
1007	17	23 40	2 57	25 97
Sub. 13 of 1257	T	46 80	5 15	51 95
Sub. 8 of 1694	56	7 60	84	8 44
Sub 34 of 1694	56	10 50	1 15	11 65
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10	W	77 60	8 54	86 14
SPRING RIDGE.				
A	64	6 00	66	6 66
B	64	6 00	66	6 66
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9	"	3 90	43	4 33
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In New York homes are the most magnificent bathrooms in the world, and now while their favored owners are away enjoying themselves on this side and the other side of nature's great bathroom, the seas, you may take a peep at the amazing magnificence of the privacies of these palatial hearthstones.

Any article on the private bathrooms of New York which did not place first and foremost the splendid apartments in which Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt performs her morning ablutions when in town would be surely Hamlet with Hamlet left out, and Ophelia forgotten, too. Wealth, taste, art, research—all are combined most prodigally in its ideal effects. R. M. Hunt, the architect, considers it the triumph of his life. Everything architectural within its precincts is purity and perfection itself. To begin with, the room is in the most advantageous location in the big mansion at Fifty-first street and Fifth avenue. It is large, cool, and with perfect ventilation. Extending round the room is a high marble wainscotting, perfectly plain, except for a band of onyx ornaments traced with lines of gold which run along the top. Above the wainscotting, the walls of the room are panelled with small beveled mirrors, separated and beautified with bands of gilt mouldings. Upon this scintilating surface of glass are painted with exquisite truth to life sprays of apple blossoms, literally laden with bloom. In well blended coloring of cream and gold the ceiling is modelled in Henry II ornaments, for the bath connects with a bedroom arranged after the style of Henry III's time. No description of the painter's work can give an adequate idea of the beauty of the place, as each small mirror catches up on its bevelled face little refractions of color and light and echoes them back upon the eye in immeasurable fantastic shapes until the effect bewilders and enchants.

Near the centre of the department is the bath tub—and how poor the English language must seem to Mrs. V. when it presents no more aristocratic designation for the lovely receptical than the plain, plebian "tub." But, however, the tub is cut out of a solid block of marble, decorated along its upper edge with a carved moulding of scallop shells. The water flows into the tub through faucets made in the form of swans' heads, with beaks of solid silver. Looking down into the tub, with a suggestion of anxiety on her features as if she already felt the first chill of the purifying waters, stands a Greek maiden, sculptured in a niche in the wall, her tunic uplifted modestly as if she were to step down in a moment for a frolic with old Croton. This figure is by one of the Coysevox brothers, sculptors in the days of Louis XIV, the original of which is in the Louvre. There is not a piece of portable furniture in the room, the only resting place being a marble slab, supported by fabled creatures, also of the pure stone. The bathroom as it is to-day is said to have cost quite a few gold eagles over $20,000.

The ideas developed in this apartment were taken from the famous bath of Marie Antoinette at Fountainbleau, which has long been famous the world over. Some one has said that this bath was the object of more eloquence and poetry than all the rest of the historic Antoinette pile. From it was taken the suggestion not only for Mrs. Vanderbilt's bath but that of Mrs. Seward Webb in her father's house.

The Marie Antoinette bath has been most beautifully described by Mary Guy Humphreys. She says: "It consists of three rooms, or rather four rooms in three divisions. Of these one overlooks a garden and the middle one connects with bed rooms on either side. The third is an alcove, in which is the bath. The first two rooms are hung with silk, with beveled bands over the doors. The ceiling is in relief and colored with soft, rich tints. The tub room is empaneled in marble, and the tub, which is also marble, is set in the wall and fed from swan necks with heads of solid silver. Back of the tub is a large mirror painted over with dimpled little boys pelting one another with flowers. Mirrors are set also in the ceiling, looking like crystal lakes among the soft Louis XIV garlands. Imagination can scarcely go further than this reality. Empress Eugenie attempted to link her name with this historic spot, but the ruthless hands of the French effaced her monogram, and the verses she wrote on a glass panel were removed entire."

The bath room of Mrs. Daniel Wilson, wife of the renegade son-in-law of ex-President Grevy, of France, is another which Americans have patterned after somewhat. Mrs. Wilson's home is at Chenonceaux. Among others after this style is the bath in the home of Mrs. William H. Vanderbilt. It is attached to the guest chamber. The room is finished in a lustrous wood capable of almost as high a degree of reflection as is glass. The wardrobe and the bath tub are lined with Mexican onyx, which takes up and enhances the brilliancy of the surrounding woods. The doors are paneled with mirrors to the floor. Beveled mirrors cover the wall above the wainscoting and extend a little distance over the ceiling work. Over these thousand eyes is painted a delicate tracery, through which the cupids peer and smile. This apartment was scarcely less costly than that of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt.

Another magnificent and unique bathroom is that of Mr. Marquand in his home on Sixty-eighth street. In this the bath tank itself is sunk. It is faced with old Saracenic jewels brought from Spain, with shining lustrous faces. The angles of the tank are cushioned with polished metal. Above is a barrel arch designed by Francis Lathrop. The bathroom is three times the ordinary size and the tank occupies the entire length of the room and a great part of its width. The bath is reached by a flight of steps, as in the plunge baths of the Turkish and Russian establishments. It is large enough to allow one to choose the spot to bathe in and even to have "a little swim." The water flows through the throats of carved dolphins.

Mr. Wm. Lewis Stowe, who recently came into prominence through his little escapade in a Broadway restaurant, is [illegible] in West Eighteenth street, of which the bath is the glory of glories. Ceiling, walls and floors are all covered with marble tiling, highly polished and of the purest white. The tub is of porcelain.

Mrs. Seward Webb's bathroom is a veritable show-house. On all sides is gleaming white marble. The only variation is given by the silver faucets, whose crystaline reflection serve rather to increase than to diminish the coolness of the interior. The coolness is to the eye only, however, for the heating arrangements of the room are perfect.

Simplicity, if richness, is the order at John Rockefeller's Tarrytown mansion so recently finished. A commodious porcelain tub stands upon a floor of tessellated tiling. There is scarcely any other decoration about the room, but everything demanded for utility and comfort is there. Much the same words would describe the laving places of the Astors, whose almost severe simplicity and plainness in such matters is proverbial.

In Whitelaw Reid's home to each chamber is attached a toilet and bath. There is no effort at decoration. The walls are wainscoted and there is the mirror of utility, but there is nothing to cater to the luxuriance of the body. The tubs are porcelain-lined and everywhere is evidence that Mr. Reid's desiderata are cleanliness and sanitation. Every inch of plumbing in the room is exposed. Near the servant's apartments are bath rooms, appointed in the same manner.

At the Mamaroneck villa of Mr. Howell Osborne is a bathroom of interest. Like Mr. Stowe's it is in design a temple of purity. It is lined and sealed with white enameled tiles. A large decorative panel stands over the bath tank at the head and furnishes the only bit of color in the room. This panel was designed by Mr. George Maynard and is a charming piece of his handiwork.

There are many other noteworthy and costly bathrooms in the city, but a description of them would be but a repetition of the features of those given here. New York may well be proud of these private temples of cleanliness.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Items of Interest Received by Telegraph from Different Points.

An Ottawa special to the Mail says: "It is difficult to get at the truth respecting the extent of the damage done to the wheat crop in the Northwest. It is well known that certain millers are interested in making believe the damage has been great, so as to hold up the price of wheat and flour. As already asserted, the Millers' Association have shoved up prices, defending their action by reason of the alleged destruction of a portion of the Northwest crop. After the reports of the frost reached here the association promptly notified the retail dealers to increase the price of flour 25 cents per barrel, and the dealers without question did so."

The warships Bellerophon, Canada and Thrush sail to-morrow from Halifax for Quebec. The Buzzard will remain to clean out. The Partridge will sail this week for the West Indies.

Miss Peters, a domestic in London, was probably fatally burned yesterday through the explosion of a lighted coal oil stove which she was filling.

Cargar's cheese factory, near Napanee, was burned yesterday with its contents. The loss is heavy. Insurance $2400.

Sir John Thompson arrived at Ottawa on Wednesday but declines to make any statement regarding the pending questions until he has reported to the council.

Anderson and Vaughan, English capitalists, are in Ottawa en route to the Pacific coast, where they intend making some important investments in land.

L'Etendard, a French ultramontane paper, published in Montreal, and organ of the Jesuits in Canada, will be published also daily in Lowell, Mass. It intends to represent the same doctrine there.

A dispatch from Digby, to Halifax, N.S., says that an American seiner was reported in St. Mary's Bay yesterday, after mackerel, and the inhabitants were taking steps to notify the nearest Canadian cruiser.

General Sir John Ross gave a large and brilliant ball at Bellevue last night, in honor of Prince George. The guests included Prince George, Admiral and Lady Watson, Lieut.-Governor Daly and wife, and the leading members of society.

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A BY-LAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The assessment roll of the said City for the year 1890 shall be returned by the assessor to the clerk of the Municipal Council on the 20th day of August, 1890.

2. Any and all persons complaining of his, her or their respective assessments on the said roll shall within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning said roll notify in writing the clerk of the Municipal Council of his, her or their grounds of complaint.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 22nd day of September, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon after as they can be heard.

This By-Law may be cited as the By-Law respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890.

Passed the Municipal Council the 25th day of June, 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
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A BY-LAW

Prohibiting the Sale or Intoxicating Liquors to Minors Under the Age or 20 Years.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law no person or persons holding a license or licenses from the Corporation of the City of Victoria to sell liquors within the Corporate Limits of the said City of Victoria shall sell or cause to sell or otherwise dispose of or allow to be given or sold upon the premises in respect of which he is licensed any wine, spirits, ale, beer or other intoxicating liquor with n the Corporate limits of the said City of Victoria to any person or persons under the age of twenty years, nor shall said person or persons so holding such license or licenses as aforesaid permit any person or persons under the age of twenty years to remain upon his premises so licensed, and shall eject any such person or persons under said age from said premises.

No person or persons so licensed as aforesaid shall permit any gambling, card playing or dice throwing by any person or persons under said age upon any premises in respect of which he holds a license as aforesaid.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this By-Law shall upon conviction be punished by imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month or by paying a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars ($100.00).

This By-Law may be cited as "The By-Law Regulating the Sale of Liquor to Minors and for Other Purposes."

Passed the Municipal Council the 16th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy31

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law, 1890.

WHEREAS on account of the increased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law 1890.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 26-1000ths of one per cent and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 26-1000ths of one per cent in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law 1890, By-Law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy31

A BY-LAW.

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria, it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 21-1000ths of one per cent, and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 21-1000ths of one per cent. in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special rate imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889, By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
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BLAINES POSITION IN THE BEHRING SEA QUESTION.

In discussing the Behring Sea question re the soundness of Blaine's position, the Canadian papers should bear in mind that the great mass of the people of the United States have little or no sympathy for the Alaska Fur Co., a gigantic monopoly, and upon whose interests solely Blaine rests his case. This monopoly demands protection not from Canadian poachers alone but from American as well. The entire American coast from Seattle to San Diego is as deeply interested in the solution of the Behring sea question as affecting their interests as are the sealers of Victoria. The closing of Behring sea to pelagic sealing as profoundly affects San Francisco as Victoria. It would be strange, indeed, under these circumstances, if the Americans with interests in common with the British Columbians should endorse the attitude of Blaine. Blaine, of course, is bound to figure in the consideration of the Behring sea question, but unless he has the moral support of his countrymen he cannot settle it with reference solely to the interests of the Alaska Fur monopoly. Blaine has not the moral support of the people of the Pacific coast. Besides acting for the Alaska Fur Company, he may be, as alleged, angling for the Irish vote, but all the same he will have to settle the Behring sea question in conformity with the consensus of opinion in three States—Washington, Oregon and California. Hence, it is not Blaine that we have to consider, but the character of public opinion behind him, and in this respect the great tail-twister is practically playing a lone hand.

IS DISEASE ABOUT TO BE CONQUERED?

One of the greatest advances in science was accomplished when, as a result of the experiments of Pasteur, it was discovered that contagious diseases and some other diseases only slightly or imperfectly contagious, are due to bacteria, or micro-organisms in air, and permeating the system of the patient. Consumption, the various fevers, and, in fact, inflammatory affections of all kinds, have been found to result from the presence of these bacteria. But in spite of the knowledge thus gained of the nature and operation of these disease-germs, medical science has heretofore been unable to discover any disinfectant, or germ-destroyer, to overcome their action in the human body. Numbers of new remedies have been discovered within a few years, such as anti-pyrine, anti-febrine, phenacetine, etc., most of them aniline derivatives, or members of the coal-tar group. Many of these remedies are useful, but among them the great germ-destroyer has not been found. In fact, the science of bacteriology, to the lay mind, has apparently consisted not in destroying bacteria, but in cultivating them. Some of the new remedies, owing to the presence of toxic or poisonous elements, have been useless in the great number of cases, because they must be employed in such extreme dilutions as to act simply as antiseptics or germ arresters, and not as germ-destroyers. When used in sufficient quantities to destroy the germs, they have also proved destructive of the healthy tissues of the body. Others have destroyed only the outlying germs in the groups or colonies of bacteria, thus forming an impenetrable envelope within which the germs may multiply. A German chemist, Professor Dr. Stilling, of Strasburg University, claims now to have discovered an aniline derivative, which not only destroys disease-germs, but is absolutely harmless in use. His report of the experiments made with the new substance are amazing. Its technical name is "tri-amido-tri-phenyl-carbinol," and "tri-amido-di-phenyl-tolyl-carbinol" is the name of a closely allied substance. To these two substances, Professor Stilling has given the name of "Pyoktanin," or "pus-killer," from the Greek "Puon," pus, and "Ktenio," to kill. If his claims are justified by the action of pyoktanin, it will undoubtedly constitute the greatest medical, or rather surgical, discovery of the age. He claims three qualities for pyoktanin, which render it the best disinfectant known. These are the absence of any injurious effect on the animal or human organism, the certain destruction of all bacteria or other micro-organisms absorbing it, and its rapid and complete diffusion and permeation in both healthy and diseased animal tissues and fluids, and its perfect penetration through the enveloping membranes and internal substance of all bacterial colonies. The earliest experiments were made on vegetable mold, that being the most resistant of the fungi. Pieces of bread treated by a solution of pyoktanin of one part in a thousand of water were found free from fungus after two weeks, though other bits of bread treated with water alone were found covered with the mold after twenty-four hours. A mixture of sugar, meat-extract, and gelatine, painted with pyoktanin in streaks and spots showed mold surrounding the painted parts, but the growth was arrested on reaching them. Experiments were next made upon rabbits with the effect that the eye was found to be unharmed by injections, while subcutaneous injections and ingestion with the food may occur in large quantities without any ill effects. The way having been thus prepared for experiment on human subjects, the most astonishing results were obtained. Dr. Stilling's report is filled with technical terms, but a few of the more easily comprehended cases will indicate the success of his experiments. A corneal ulceration in a scrofulous child had been treated for months with great care by the usual antiseptics without material results, and was cured in twenty-four hours by the instillation of a few drops of a pyoktanin solution; in keratis of the glands of the eye, the ordinary treatment for which lasts several months, the eye resumed its normal clearness in a very short time, while under lateral illumination, an ordinary magnifying-glass showed the pyoktanin infiltrating the vessels immediately after the instillation. A purulent felon that threatened the loss of the nail of the thumb was cured in two days. The experiments have not yet been carried further, but the fact that the pyoktanin may be injected into the thoracic and abdominal cavities without harm, and that it may also be taken in the food, indicates that its beneficial effect may be widely extended in the case of the various inflammatory diseases, such as peritonitis, typhoid fever, and pneumonia, which have heretofore, in many cases, resisted the attempts of physicians to effect a cure.

A BOOMERANG.

The Hamilton Spectator, in an effort to justify the sending of a commissioner to the Jamacia exhibition, that trade relations with Canada may be facilitated, offers the following argument:

"Jamaica has a population of about 600,000. If the other West India islands and British Guiana be added the population will exceed 1,500,000. These people consume many articles which Canada exports, and produce many articles which we consume and cannot produce. They produce sugar, coffee, fruits, mahogany and other fine woods, drystuffs, pimento, cinchona, etc.; and they import pine lumber, clothing, boots and shoes, flour and other breadstuffs, fish, meat, and other articles which Canada produces.

"A very large proportion of the imports of the British West Indies is derived from the United States. Nearly all of the articles can be supplied by Canada; and, indeed, some of them pass through the United States, from Canada, as fish, flour and lumber.

One important step—perhaps we might say a necessary step—towards freer commercial intercourse with Jamaica, would be the removal of export duties on goods leaving the island. Coffee pays an export duty of 6 shillings a tierce; dyewoods, lignum vitæ and some other woods of 1 shilling per ton; sugar, of 5s. 9d. per hogshead; and rum of 4s. 6d. per puncheon.

Some of the import duties levied in Jamaica are high. Bacon and ham pay 2s. per pound; salt beef and pork, 15s. per barrel of 200 pounds; butter and cheese, 2d. per pound; pickled herrings 2s. 6d. per barrel of 200 pounds; mackerel, 4s. 6d. per barrel; salmon, salted, 10s. 6d. per barrel; flour, 8s. per barrel; white pine lumber, 9s. per 1000 feet, and on goods not otherwise specified, 12½ per cent. ad valorem.

Here we have questions involved, which to insure trade with Jamacia—require important modifications of the fiscal systems of both countries. What then more conclusively proves that protection is a humbug? It is amusing to note protectionist newspapers building up trade with foreign countries by tearing down the very fiscal system which they profess to regard inseparable from national development. If duties must be removed that trade must be facilited is not the protectionist who proposes such procedure dealing with a boomerang?

DIFFERENT VIEWS ABOUT HELL.

"The conception of a future existence, which lays claim to the greatest antiquity," says a writer in the Popular Science Monthly, "is that of the ancient Egyptians." According to the Egyptian belief, if the "great judgment resulted adversely, the condemned soul is either scourged back to earth straightaway, to live again in the form of some vile animal, or is plunged into a horrid hell of fire below, or is driven into the atmosphere to be vexed and tossed by tempests till its sins are expiated, and another probation granted through a renewed existence in human form." In Persia, the belief formerly obtained, that at the end of the world, a "comet will fall upon the earth, causing a vast conflagration, by which the whole earth will be melted, and the molten stream will pour down into Duzahk, carrying with it the sinners who are on earth at the time. Here they and the earlier comers will burn for three days, and thus purified, will be received into heaven. Afterward all the devils, even the arch-fiend himself, will have their evil burned away, and will also enter the abode of light." Buddhism in China, provides "one great hell and one hundred and thirty-six lesser hells." We are not informed if these are perpetual or not. Confucianism has nothing to say whatever about punishment after this life. The Jews in Old Testament times had no idea of hell. Moses did not teach it nor did any of the prophets. The hell of Islam is but a variation of the Gehenna of the Jews. The Greeks and Romans had Tartarus, while the ancient Scandinavians had their Valhalla. African tribes which have not been affected by Christian or Mohammedan influence, have no definite ideas of future rewards and punishments. With the ancient Mexicans, the wicked went to "Mictlau, a dismal cavern within the earth." The Peruvian hell was also in the earth, while the Eskimo believes that hell is among "rocks, ice, monsters, and chilling waters of the sea." Esau Hajo, speaker for the Cree nation, replied to the question: "Do the red people believe in a future state of rewards and punishments?" that "we have an opinion that those who have behaved well are taken care of by Esaugetuh Emisee, and assisted; the wicked are left to shift for themselves; there is no other punishment." A singular feature is that the place of punishment provided by the Christian religion—the most beneficent of all religions—is the most hopeless. The Orientals who had speculated on the subject had experienced heat and its incident, thirst. That, therefore, they should conceive banishment to a hot and waterless place the greatest of all punishments is reasonable and logical. And, in proof that they guaged their ideas of hell by what they personally conceived to be the most excruciating punisment is apparent, we have the fact that natives of cold countries make their hell an extremely cold place. Mark the Eskimo, who believe their hell to be among rocks, ice and chilling waters of the sea. How are we to account for this discrepancy of ideas growing out of difference of climatic environment?

Turning to the opinions of modern theologians, what do we fine? Mr. Spurgeon believes in the hell of our fathers. Edward Everett Hall says: "No Unitarian supposes that life after death is limited in any way, so that one place in the universe can be mapped off as heaven, and another place mapped off as hell." C. W. Church of the Friends' Church, Chicago, calls the modern idea of hell a "Mystical, super-spiritual view." Dr. Talmage, while not opposed to saying that hell may be figurative, holds that "it may be literal." "God says it is fire and a furnace of fire. I do not understand that to be figurative." W. H. Thomas, People's Church, Chicago, says, "that there is now a tacit admission on the part of even the orthodox churches that the teachings of the past on this subject are not wholly true, and that, in some respects at least, they have to be modified or abandoned." When doctors disagree who shall decide? We can only conclude, hence, that the safest course is to "Love God and keep his commandments."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Promptness and liberality mark the response of Baron Hirsch, the well known Jewish philanthropist, to a memorial presented to him by a Montreal Hebrew benevolent society. He has sent them $20,000 to assist in taking care of Jewish immigrants on their arrival at Montreal, giving them instruction in the English language, and in assisting in getting them free grants of land should they be disposed to turn their attention to farming. They will hardly find it possible, however, to obtain land in Quebec. Those people should come to this Province, for, according to the Lands and Works Department, there is plenty of land to be had.

An American paper states that during the last twenty-five years of Mormon rule there has poured into the Treasury of Salt Lake City the enormous sum of $4,177,325.43. The records kept by the Mormon authorities for that period show that $2,010,799.01 was spent on improvements and necessary works in the city. The balance of $2,166,526.42 represents what the management or mismanagement of the city has cost. In other words, for every dollar of legitimate expenditure it has cost another dollar to pay it out. This would seem to indicate that the Mormon Saints can boodle as well as Gentile sinners. The citizens of Salt Lake City should inquire where the $2,000,000 unaccounted for have gone. They might make the situation interesting for some people, because boodlers can no longer find a safe refuge in Canada.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

With all our complaints of the doctors it must be said that they provide us with a number of new topics to think about. Now that the interest in Dr. BROWN-SEQUARD's life elixir has somewhat waned, an Italian physician, Dr. MALIN-CONICO, assaults our credulity with the strange statement that he has discovered the old age microbe. This, he says, lurks in the body at birth, being transmitted to us by our fathers, grandfathers and other progenitors. The doctor has discovered it, means to kill it, and therefore proposes to stop people growing old henceforth.

HON. JOHN ROBSON AT BAY.

TO THE EDITOR:—You will remember that in February, 1889, the present Premier was severely handled by Mr. Semlin for uttering false statements on the floor of the House on the education question when Mr. Kerr's letter, the resolution of the Victoria teachers and Mr. Brown's telegram from Vancouver showed conclusively that the statements were false. Subsequently when the Premier was taken to task as a Christian, he freed himself from all liability by confessing to the Rev. P. McF. McLeod that he had made the statements on the authority of Mr. Pope, his Superintendent of Education.

On page cx, Sessional Papers, this statement occurs in the Premier's evidence given on oath: "Fully one year before his (Mr. Muir's) certificate was cancelled the Superintendent of Education wished to have it cancelled, and I demurred to it, and the Superintendent of Education repeated presented the reason for having the certificate cancelled, and I always fought against it until up to about the time of its cancillation, when his conduct became such that I could not any longer justify myself in refusing; in fact it came to this that the superintendent said he was allowed to do a great deal of injury to the cause of education and that it had come to such a pass that either Mr. Muir's certificate would have to be cancelled or he would have to resign his position. I then yielded, etc." Mr. Pope gives this as the reason for the cancellation in his letter to Mr. Muir of December 4th, 1889: "Sir,—In consequence of your persistent neglect to obey the rules and regulations prescribed for the government of the public schools as well as for gross insolence shown in your communications to this office, the first class grade A certificate, etc. is cancelled." Now, as Mr. Muir had not taught since 1887, until August, 1889, and this evidence also is found on page 114. Question—Did you not excuse Mr. Muir from putting "no" to questions 24 and 25 whilst he was at Wellington? Answer by Mr. Pope—I did, and stated to him the reasons for so doing in my letter to him Nov. 4th, 1889. So it necessarily follows that Mr. Muir had taught scarcely two months, or from Oct. 9th to Dec. 4th, to which Mr. Pope's reason for cancelling could refer, and the letter said to contain the gross insolence bears date Nov. 25th, 1889. How then could Mr. Pope present the reason fully a year before the certificate was cancelled or present it repeatedly during that year? It was impossible. Then does it not follow either that Mr. Pope gave a false reason to Mr. Muir or that the Hon. John Robson's statement on oath is false?

Will it not also be in order for some one to explain why the Premier permitted Mr. Pope to cancel the certificate only when confronted by a threat of his resignation, and why the Premier (knowing that he himself had been brought into disgrace by uttering false statements on Mr. Pope's authority) should allow the Council of British Columbia to confirm the cancellation on Mr. Pope's word alone, without hearing Mr. Muir or giving him an opportunity of being heard (a right sacred to every British subject), especially as there is no appeal from their decision, and some one ought to to recompense Mr. Muir for the injustice done to him. How do the Council of British Columbia like this pen picture?

JUSTICE.

CARD.

TO THE EDITOR.—Referring to your daily issue of the 18th inst., which reports one Tully Boyce as having stated at a public meeting held in Victoria, "that the weighmen at the Wellington collieries had been taking 21 cwts. of coal from the miners and allowing them only 16½ cwts. for the same," (in plainer words were stealing up to 3½ cwts. on each box of coal sent by the miners), which statement was also reported in your daily issue of the 25th inst. as having been reiterated by Thos. Keith at a public meeting held at Vancouver, we the undersigned weighmen employed at the several pits operated by R. Dunsmuir & Sons, at Wellington, take this means of branding such statements as false.

(Signed)

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FRED. C. FISHER, 18 months weighman for R. Dunsmuir & Sons.

Wellington, Aug. 27th, 1890.

A LONDON SCANDAL.

In Which a Parcel of Letters and a Latch-Key Figure.

A London cable says: An incident of fashionable life in England is shortly to come before the courts that will provoke a vast interest on the part of all classes of society. The wife of a very distinguished Englishman is about to bring suit for divorce against him, naming as co-respondent the widow of a most eminent personage, who, before his death, was well known in the United States and Canada, and was a particular friend during Grant's administration of Secretary Hamilton Fish. The lady has been twice widowed, her first husband having been a nobleman of high rank, and though she is no longer young, she is a woman of unusual charms of person and manner. The wife, who is about to bring the suit, on the other hand is known as something of an Amazon, but in spite of the fact that all her friends have besought her not to make the matter public, and that Queen Victoria herself has taken the unprecedented course of begging the injured woman to avoid such a social scandal, she is not to be diverted from her resolution. The strangest part of the matter is that her brother-in-law, who is a member of the present government, is the only one of her friends who advised her to push the suit, and under her guidance she will soon bring the case into the courts. Her principal evidence against her husbaand are a number of letters from the woman and a latch-key to her house, all of which were found in the erring husband's possession.

NORTH-WEST FRUITS.

A Large Number of the Small Fruits Indigenous to the Country.

People who are acquainted with the resources of Manitoba and the Northwest are of the opinion that there are no indigenous fruits to be found in that country, and that the climate is so rigid that exotic fruits perish during the severe winters. This idea is largely dispelled by U. S. Consul Taylor's report dealing with fruit culture in the Canadian Northwest, and which was published a few years ago by the United States department of agriculture. The list of indigenous fruits as prepared by Mr. Taylor comprise the following varieties:

(1.) Wild plum or prune; common red, and a larger and more delicate variety. (2.) Black frost grape, found in profusion in the Assiniboine district. (3.) Service berry, called mesasquatoon by the Crees; two varieties, used by the Indians as food. (4.) Red cherry, a fine vigorous tree, bearing a sub-acid fruit, growing in clusters, not on a stem. (5.) Choke cherry. This is larger than the the red cherry, and is sweet, but astringent. It is used by the Indians. (7.) Gooseberry: two varieties, red and green; universal all over the Northwest, and very good. (8.) Raspberry, red, good, and universal; no white sort. (9.) Strawberries, red, good, and very common. (10.) Eyeberry, resembles raspberry, grows on a low plant or wet ground. (11.) High bush cranberry or Pembina, red, grows on a shrub in clusters like elderberry, and remains all winter without losing flavor. (12.) Marsh Cranberry, same as in Minnesota and Wisconsin. (13.) Sand Cranberry, found chiefly in the Saskatchewan country. (14.) Mossberry, similar in taste to cranberry, but larger; found chiefly trailing in the moss swamp, particularly in the Edmonton district. (15.) Swampberry, sometimes called orangeberry; formed upon a small shrub in swamps; yellow in color, resembles a raspberry, but larger; makes a good preserve. (16.) Sand Cherry; a dark fruit, slightly acid; grows upon a shrub about a foot high. (17.) Currants, black and red; very common. (18.) Blood berry, small juicy berry, tart, grows on a high shrub well adapted for hedge rows.

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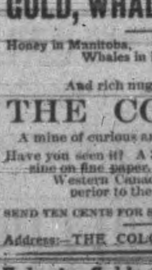

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The Committees From the French and Jubilee Hospitals Come to an Agreement.

A committee of the directors of the French Benevolent Society and one from the directors of the Jubilee Hospital met in the board of trade rooms last evening to discuss the question of amalgamating the French and Jubilee hospitals.

After some discussion the committees finally came to an agreement which will have to come up before the directors of each society for their sanction, before the final arrangements are made. The principal points are that the French society hand their property, which is worth about $10,000 over to the Jubilee hospital, on the condition that their members, 67 in number, have certain privileges at the Jubilee hospital. The property referred to will go a long way towards paying the debts of the Jubilee hospital and no doubt at a meeting of the directors to be held shortly the report of the committee will be received.

DO NOT WANT THEM.

Vags Immigrate to Victoria, But Do Not Stay Long.

By the looks of a large number of the passengers who arrived here at the end of last week, it was evident that the police of the Sound cities were waging war against the festive "vag." The barkeepers and others were in consequence on pins and needles as among the crowd were three "flim flam" men who, however, were not smart enough for a certain saloon keeper, and in consequence they got tangled in the nets of police officer R. Walker, who quietly informed them that a boat left for the Sound at 8:30 on Sunday evening. The men had only been in the city for 24 hours but they took the hint and left Victoria behind them, very likely returning to Seattle, which is the place they head for when run out of the other cities. Officer Walker had not finished, however, and when these men were out of the way turned his attention to several other vags who were infecting the city with their presence. They were all huddled on board the Sound steamers, and Victorians are now rid of a portion of the world's population that is hardly worth having. Others have yet to follow the trail of those already as the police consider that a great many individuals have been living here too long without work.

WEBB DENOUNCED.

The Council of Railway Employees Administer a Stinging Rebuke.

TERRE HAUTE, Aug. 26.—The Supreme Council of the United Order of Railway Employees finished consideration of the New York Central strike today, and furnished a report to the Associated Press, of which the following is a synopsis:

To all Laboring Organizations—Men and Brothers: On the night of August 7 a strike began on the New York Central & Hudson River road, involving about 800 men in the employ of the road, who were members of the great labor organization known as the Knights of Labor. The reasons set forth by Powderly, the chief executive of the order, may be summarized as follows: The peremptory discharge of between fifty and sixty employees, and members of the Knights of Labor, without giving them any reason whatever for their discharge. Prior to the strike the men involved sought, through a representative of the order, to have their grievances adjusted, but, their appeals being disregarded, the strike was inaugurated.

Much was done to bring about an amicable settlement, and arbitration was asked for by the men, but no notice was taken of them and the council having heard the statement of its members who had visited New York for the purpose of ascertaining the true condition of affairs, exhaustively discussed every important proposition and arrived at conclusions as follows:

First—That the position of the Knights of Labor as set forth by Powderly, general master workman, and the general executive board of the Knights of Labor, meets with our unqualified approval.

Second—The course pursued by Webb towards Powderly and the Knights of Labor, notwithstanding his declarations to the contrary, evidences a purpose to destroy the labor organizations on the New York Central & Hudson river railway, as done by Austin Corbin on the Philadelphia & Reading.

Third—The policy of Webb is despotic to an extent that outrages every principle of American citizenship, and if generally adopted would, if successful, reduce American workingmen to a degraded condition.

Fourth—Webb, by the employment of Pinkerton thieves, thugs and murderers, vile wretches from the slums and brothels of New York and other cities, to kill workingmen because they dared to protest against his rule and strike for their rights, is guilty of a crime of such enormity as will associate the name of Webb forever with those who, dressed in a little brief authority, have used their power to degrade their fellow-men.

Fifth—That the efforts now being put forth by Webb to destroy the Knights of Labor, would, were the circumstances arranged in like manner, destroy the organizations of firemen, conductors, trainmen and switchmen. If successful, it is only a question of time when a similar effort would be made to seal the fate of other labor organizations.

Sixth—Webb, by the course he has pursued toward the Knights of Labor and the representatives of labor organizations, has shown a total disregard of those principles of citizen-sovereignty desired by every American worthy of the name, and considering only his money power and the corporate power of the company he represents, his acts, which speak louder than words, say, in the language of W. H. Vanderbilt, or the autocrat of New York, "The public be damned."

Seventh—Webb seeks to support this arrogant attitude towards workingmen and labor organizations by assuming that the New York Central & Hudson River railroad is private property, and that his acts in the treatment of his employees is in no sense a matter of public concern; that he can with impunity discharge men and remand them to idleness and poverty, and render them homeless wanderers without giving any reason or explanation whatever for such conduct, disregarding the fact that the corporation for which he plays the autocrat is a thing created by laws, in the making of which the men he seeks to degrade have a voice, which, once united, will bring his corporation to the bar of justice, where his millions and the other millions he represents will cease to be potential in deciding questions of this kind.

In view of the foregoing facts the supreme council places upon record its high appreciation of the manliness of the Knights of Labor employees on the New York Central in struggling to maintain the principles sacred to every workingman on the continent and to all who love justice and hope for the triumph of [illegible] as flagrant as ever stained the pages of history.

FRANK P. SARGENT, President.
Attest: W. A. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

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Being about to retire from business, my entire stock of the latest styles of **Furniture, Carpets, Linoleum, Matting, Window Blinds, Curtains and Poles, Children's Carriages, Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, Bisque Figures and Ornaments, etc.,** will be sold at such low prices as will effect a speedy sale.

Special inducements in Fine Dinner Sets and other Crockery.

A large shipment, 73 rolls of Linoleum, 12 feet wide, ex Ship WANLOCK, at low rate of freight direct from manufacturers in Scotland, will be sold at bargains.

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On and after November 19th, '89,
Until further notice,
The Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows:
CALLING AT WAY PORTS:
Leave Victoria for Nanaimo..........Tuesday, 7 a m
" Nanaimo for Comox..........Wednesday, 7 a.m
" Comox for Nanaimo..........Friday, 7 a.m
" Nanaimo for Victoria..........Saturday, 7 a.m
For freight or passage apply on board. oc17

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,
(LIMITED.)
TIME TABLE No. 13,
Taking effect July 17, 1890.

Vancouver Route.
Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.
Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwhack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.
Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.
Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

Bute Inlet Route.
Steamer Rainbow leaves every Tuesday at 7 a. m., for Cowichan, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and way ports.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
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General Agents.
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RAILWAYS.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.
TIME TABLE NO. 12.
To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday, May 1st, 1890.
Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.			STATIONS.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.		
No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.		No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.
Ar. 12:25 P M	Ar. 8:40 P M		VICTORIA	De. 8:00 A M	De. 3:00 P M	
" 12:20	" 8:35		RUSSELL'S	" 8:04	" 3:12	
" 12:16	" 8:25		ESQUIMALT	" 8:14	" 3:27	
" 11:45 A M	" 8:01		GOLDSTREAM	" [illegible]	" 3:47	
" 10:50	" 7:36		SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" [illegible]	" 4:12	
" 10:41	" 6:56		COBBLE HILL	" 9:41	" 4:32	
" 10:27	" 6:41		McPHERSON'S	" 9:57	" 5:07	
" 10:17	" 6:31		KOKSILAH	" 10:07	" 5:17	
" 10:12	" 6:26		DUNCAN'S	" 10:12	" 5:22	
" 10:02	" 6:16		SOMENOS	" 10:22	" 5:32	
" 9:36	" 5:54		CHEMAINUS	" 10:38	" 5:54	
De. 8:34	" [illegible]	Ar. 7:30 P.M.	NANAIMO	Ar. 11:50	" [illegible]	
Ar. 8:25	" 4:56		NANAIMO	De. 11:59	" 6:32	De. 10:15 P.M.
De. 8:10	De. 4:41	De. 7:15	WELLINGTON	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 7:07	Ar. 10:30

ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS AND MONDAYS
Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday evening.
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STEAMERS.

Tacoma-Victoria Route.

Leave Tacoma	†8:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	10:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	1:30 p.m.
Arrive Victoria	†4:00 p.m.
Leave Victoria	†6:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	10:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	2:00 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	†4:15 p.m.

Tacoma-Seattle Route.
Leave Tacoma—†8:00 a.m.; 12:00 m.; *7:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—*4:30 a.m.; †2:00 p.m.; *4:30 p.m.
Boats leaving Tacoma 12:00 p.m., and Seattle at 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Des Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

Leave Seattle	†4:30 p.m.	Leave Olympia	†7:00 a.m.
Leave Tacoma	7:30 p.m.	Lv. Steilacoom	9:00 a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom	9:00 p.m.	Leave Tacoma	12:00 m.
Ar. Olympia	†11:00 p.m.	Arrive Seattle	†2:30 p.m.

—†Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. *Daily.

Whatcom, Semiahmoo and Blaine Route.
Stopping at all way landings.
Steamer leaves Seattle daily, except Saturday, for Whatcom at 11 p.m. Arrives at Whatcom daily, except Sunday, at 3 p.m.
Leaves Whatcom for Seattle daily, except Saturday 8 p.m. Arrives at Seattle daily except Sunday, 2 p.m.
Steamers from Semiahmoo and Blaine leave Whatcom every Saturday at 5 p.m. Returning, leave Blaine every Sunday at 10 a.m. for Whatcom and Seattle.

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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

A Short But Very Lively Meeting Last Night —Business Done.

The full board, excepting Ald. Vigelius, with Mayor Grant in the chair was present at the City Hall at last evening's meeting. Regular routine work being complete, Clerk Dowler read the following:

COMMUNICATIONS.

From W. Skeene, stating that as the case of Bryce vs. Regina, had been declared illegal, asking that $10 paid by him to the city as a license fee be refunded.—Referred to committee.

From Milne Bros. & Blair, asking part of King's road for building purposes.—Granted.

From W. Jensen and W. Roland stating that great expense was entailed by connecting with the Johnson street sewer, and asking the city to pay half of it.—Referred to committee.

From H. Jewell asking permission to remove wooden building.—Referred to committee.

From W. T. Drake, in reference to dumping of rubbish on Cook street.—Referred to committee.

From W. P. Sayward in reference to extension of his property into Rock Bay, and asking for a part of Constance street.—Referred to committee.

From John Teague in reference to bad drainage foot of Fort street.—Referred to committee.

From A. Macdonald, thanking the board for placing macadam on Government street, and asking that some gravel be put on top of it.—Referred to committee.

From J. E. Crane, for P. A. Co, asking permission to lay asphalt sidewalk in front of their offices.—Granted.

From the secretary of the Victoria Art Association, thanking the board for placing a room at the Associations disposal.—Filed.

From the Provincial secretary in reference to information re taxes and land.—Referred to committee.

PETITIONS.

From eleven residents, asking that Stanley avenue be drained.—Referred to committee.

From several ratepayers on Bay street, asking that the opening of a tannery on Bay street be prohibited.—Referred to committee.

WIDENING OF CHATHAM STREET.

Ald. Holland introduced a by-law to deal with the widening of Chatham street, and it was read a first time.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Notice was given by Ald. Goodacre that he should at the next meeting ask leave to introduce a by-law to amend the bank credit by-law, and a by-law to amend the revenue by-law.

Ald. Wilson gave notice that he should at the next meeting ask leave to introduce an amendment to the fire by-law in reference to the erection of tents within the city limits.

REPORTS.

From the street committee in reference to several minor matters pertaining to street repairs, etc.—Adopted.

From the water committee, reporting that no reduction in price for water could be made to outside residents; that a better supply would be given as soon as certain pipes were laid; that M. Graham's application for reduction of water rate be granted and the rate reduced to 25 cents per 1000 gallons; that the request by the Sisters of St. Ann's for rebate of water rates be not allowed.—Adopted.

From the hall committee, asking that a small sum be set aside for needed matters.—Adopted.

From the special committee in reference to erection of tent on Douglas street.—Adopted.

VARIOUS.

Ald. Smith drew the street committee's attention to the fact that several bad places existed in the sidewalks.

Ald. Harrison promised to have the matter looked to.

Ald. Wilson asked if a meter had been placed for the supply of water to the contractor at the C. W. Hotel. He was told one was supplied, and he then stated that the sidewalk had been very badly relaid when the meter was put in by the water works people.

Ald. Smith said the matter should be attended to, but he did not think the city so much to blame as the contractor, who had knocked the walk about by blasting.

Ald. Harrison rose to say that a certain firm of plumbers named A. & W. Wilson had cut a portion of the walk on Government street, and asked that it be repaired.

The Mayor drew attention to the fact that the problem of sidewalks was one, although difficult, which would have to be dealt with by the board at no very distant date.

NEW FENCE.

Ald. McKillican moved that a new fence be built around the new property purchased by the city at Ross Bay for cemetery purposes.—Carried.

CARETAKER.

Ald. McKillican drew attention to the fact that a caretaker for the new city hall was necessary, and moved that applications be called for. He would recommend also that the person appointed also assist the collector of water rates; salary to be $60 per month. —Carried.

A HOLE NUISANCE.

His Worship drew attention to the fact that the deep and dangerous hole near the corner of Yates and Cook streets still existed, and remarked that it was very unjust as no one had a right to damage their neighbor's property. The sanitary officer being called upon said he would attend to the matter.

Ald. Harrison moved that parties removing sidewalks be instructed to replace them properly.—Carried.

A BANKRUPT COMMITTEE.

Ald. Holland drew attention to the fact that a pool on the lot at the intersection of Government and Douglas streets, was covered with green slime, and recommended that the park Committee look at it.

Ald. Goodacre rose to say that only $3.00 remained to the credit of the committee. (Laughter and applause.)

FIRE BY-LAW AMENDMENTS.

Ald. Wilson gave notice that he should at the next meeting ask leave to introduce a by-law to deal with an amendment to the fire by-law. In making his remarks Ald. Wilson spoke of the fact that the sanitary committee should notify the fire department when streets had been left open, that no bad accidents might result from the apparatus falling into holes unguardedly.

In reply to Ald. Wilson, Ald. Harrison had something to say about street excavations being dangerous to the fire department. There had been no investigation about the two horses that had fallen into the ditch lately. Every time the department went out there had been an accident or an upset of some kind. One of the horses was [illegible] and the engine had been thrown into the ditch. There had been nothing said of this. Spite of all this, he believed that we have one of the best fire departments on the coast; but still, the drivers, he thought were very lax in their duty. He thought the chief engineer should give them a little attention and teach them the difference between "gee" and "wo." The drain in question has been in that place for the last ten or fifteen years. The speaker continued a lengthy tirade of abuse directed against the fire department which is evidently one of the worst managed in the world, from his point of view.

Ald. Wilson replied that it was a disgrace to the street committee and to the city to have such a drain in such a place for so many years, after the amount of money that had been fooled away on the streets. The case in question might have resulted in a very bad accident, and the effect would have been serious to the chairman of the street committee had the driver lost his life.

There being nothing more of importance to be done the board adjourned at 9 p. m.

An Improvement.

W. M. Halliday is now busy compiling for R. T. Williams, publisher of the B. C. Directory, the largest and most complete directory of the Province ever published.

Reserve your orders for it. 26-1w.

What to Wear.

To-day there arrived the first consignment of fall goods for gentleman's clothing. They comprise a well selected stock of Scotch, French, and German goods in the latest patterns, and will be made up at reasonable figures, in a first class manner, by J. McCallum, 43 Fort street. *

A False Alarm.

A cry of fire at the corner of Douglas and Yates streets attracted an excited crowd yesterday afternoon. The hose was attached to the hydrant in a few moments after the alarm, which proved, however, to have been a false one. Some thought that Cochrane & Munn would lose their handsome drug store. But there was no danger, and these enterprising druggists continue to dispense pure drugs as usual at any hour day or night.

Cannot be Surpassed

Mr. Jno. T. Pierre, merchant tailor, has received his first shipment of fall and winter goods, comprising elegant English and American coatings, suitings and trousering. On inspection they will be welcomed by lovers of choice cloth as they far surpass any previous importation of woolens into British Columbia, and as Mr. Pierre employs none but the best workmen, his customers may depend on having their garments cut and made in a satisfactory manner. *

Steamer Afire.

About 10 o'clock last evening the Badger, coal laden, lying alongside Drake's wharf, was noticed afire. An alarm was sent in and after considerable hard and dirty work the blaze was put out. The boat is damaged considerably, her upper works being totally consumed. This is very unfortunate for her owner, Mr. M. Hare, who has put his every dollar into the steamer and who had just got her into shape to become a paying investment. She will be at once repaired as her hull is uninjured.

Some Presents.

The unrivalled display of fine silverware in Pennock & Clayton's window has attracted much attention. There are card receivers of unique design, one made of three large leaves skilfully welded together, is especially attractive. Beautiful tea sets, castors with flower holders, pickle castors with cut glass pickle jars, egg sets of frosted silver vases of antique design, cases for cigars, and tea pots in all shapes and sizes are some of the numerous articles shown. Pennock & Clayton's reputation for first class goods is too well known for extended comment.

Her Last Trip.

The steamship Queen, Capt. Carroll, arrived at the outer wharf at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and left early this morning for the Sound. An unusually fine trip was had and all hands speak in high terms of the scenery, the steamer and her officers. This is the Queen's last trip to Alaska this season, but it is expected that she will run between San Francisco and Victoria while the Umatilla is on the Oceanic route. The Queen has done splendid work since the beginning of the season, having always had a full compliment of passengers. Touching at Victoria was no small thing for this city, as all the provisions were taken on here which is quite an item, letting alone the good done the city by the people who wait here for the boat and also those who stay over while the boat is here.

Their Journey Ended.

The news of the death of Samuel John Abington, who was aged 77 years, and of his wife, who was aged 75 years, has been received by Mr. and Mrs. John Teague. Mr. Abington was a Cariboo pioneer, and one of the original promoters of the Antler Bed-Rock Flume Company. He spent thirty years of his life in Africa. It was in Kaffir-land where Mrs. Teague was born. The late Mr. Abington took a great interest in British Columbia affairs and frequently lectured on this province. He visited the province a few years ago and contemplated a second visit just before his death. The aged couple, who were the parents of Mrs. Teague, had travelled life's journey beyond the allotted span, and died within a few days of each other. They were buried in the churchyard at Kingstead, England.

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BUSINESS FOR SALE.

A good business chance is offered to a lady or gentleman.

The well known Hair Store, 31 Government street, with fixtures and stock in trade, is offered for sale on the most liberal terms. The business has been established 6 years, and is the only one of its kind in the Province.

Parties wishing to purchase, will be given every opportunity to learn the business.

MRS. C. KOSCHE, 31 Government St., Victoria.
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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between John J. Hayes and Jas. W. Meldram has been dissolved by mutual consent, the undersigned carrying on the business of the firm at the "Ship Inn," Wharf street, receiving all accounts due said firm, and pay all bills.

JAMES W. MELDRAM.
Victoria, Aug. 18, 1890. aug18-1m

NOTICE.

Estate of Richard Hunter, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of Richard Hunter, late of the City of Victoria, B. C., deceased, are requested to send in the same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September next.

CHAS. N. CAMERON,
LOUIS G. McQUADE,
Executors.
Dated at Victoria this 31st day of July, A. D. 1890. jy31-td

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business at 54 Yates street, known as Steitz Bros., Restaurant and Bakery has this day been sold to Mr. C. C. Fox. It is requested that all bills owing the old firm will be promptly paid, and all outstanding accounts to 28th July, will be paid on presentation by the undersigned. Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, we solicit a continuance of the same for our successor.

STEITZ BROS.
Victoria, 28th July, 1890. jy30

In continuing the above business, I respectfully solicit a continuation of the patronage hitherto extended to Messrs. Steitz Bros., and shall endeavor to merit the same by keeping the business up to its present excellent standard, and by careful attention to the wants of my customers.

C. C. FOX.

LICENSE NOTICES.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates, of the City of Victoria, I will apply for a transfer of the license to sell wines and liquors by retail at the Grand Pacific Hotel, corner of Johnson and Store streets, held by J. Bossi, to the undersigned.

JAMES DALEY.
Victoria, Aug. 9, 1890. aug9-td

NOTICE

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license from Steitz and Pelletier, 54 Yates street, to C. C. Fox, in the same premises.

C. C. FOX.
Victoria, Aug., 9, 1890. au9

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the City of Victoria, for permission to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors on the premises known as No. 34 Erie street, James Bay, the same being situate on town lot No. 1350 in the City of Victoria.

HENRY GLIDE.
Dated this 4th day of Aug., A.D. 1890. au9-1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates, of the City of Victoria, I will apply for a transfer of the license to sell wines and liquors by retail at the Ship Inn Saloon, situate on Wharf street, held by Felix Lesiouis to me.

au8-td JAMES W. MELDRAM.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the next sitting of the Licensing Court I intend to apply for permission to sell wines and liquors at the premises, No. 106 Yates street.

R. A. SHORE.
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 6, 1890. au6-tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the City of Victoria, for permission to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented liquors on the premises known as the Stelly House, situate on the south-west corner of Blanchard and Johnson streets in the said City of Victoria, British Columbia.

JOHN DROUT.
Dated this 6th day of August, 1890. au7

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license of the American Hotel bar, Yates street, from T. Burns to George Shea.

GEO. SHEA.
Victoria Aug. 7, 1890. au7-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply to the Licensing Court at its next sitting for a transfer from Joseph C. Devlin to me of his license to sell wines and liquors by retail on the premises situate on the north-east corner of Broad and Yates streets in the City of Victoria.

A. J. ROWBOTHAM.
Dated at Victoria, August 1st 1890. au1-1m

In consequence of the above notice, interested parties have circulated the rumor that I intend to open a bar on my premises. I have no intention of selling liquor, either wholesale or retail, and desire the public to know it.

A. J. ROWBOTHAM.

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GILMORE & McCANDLESS,
MERCHANT TAILORS,
Clothiers & Hatters.

FALL GOODS.

Victoria, 23rd Aug., 1890.

To the Public:—

The 20 per cent. discount sale is discontinued owing to the arrival of our FALL GOODS, which we do not intend to slaughter as we did the old stock.

We still have some odd suits and balance of Summer goods which will be cleared at cost.

In regular lines we have received some beauties.

FULL DRESS COATS AND VESTS
The very latest just received.

GILMORE & M'CANDLESS,
Telephone Call, 563. 35 Johnson Street.

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Are those who are easiest satisfied with their advertising. The man who values advertising does not consider time spent on the subject wasted. Have frequent and judicious changes of your advertisement. The time spent in preparing them is money to you.

IN THE "TIMES."

BOURCHIER, CROFT & MALLETTE, REAL ESTATE BROKERS.

SEALERS' LUCK.

The United States to be Called to Account for the Seizure of an American Schooner.

Captain C. E. Mockler, of the sealing schooner Mattie C. Dyer, which was seized by Deputy Collector Dick Simmons at Ounalaska, on June 18th last, was a passenger down on the Topeka as far as Juneau. He informed Capt. Wallace that he would make the Government suffer for the seizure of his vessel. She has been released and is preparing to come down. Captain Mockler expected to leave Sitka for Victoria on the 18th inst., and will be met in Victoria by the owners of the vessel, and steps will at once be taken to bring suit for heavy damages against the United States.

The schooner Mattie C. Dyer, Capt. Mockler, arrived at this port and anchored off the Custom House at noon to-day. She brings no news of importance. Capt. Mockler will remain here for a time as his vessel needs surveying, she having been ashore while under the charge of the United States officers.

FRUIT CANNING.

British Columbia Fruit First Class, But Limited in Variety.

Fruit canning is an infant industry in the Province of British Columbia but Mr. D. J. Munn of New Westminster is determined to push the business here, and has already put up over 1,000 cases of assorted fruits. A very attractive label covers the cans, views of the snow-clad Selkirks and the beautiful valley of the Fraser flank a centre piece, a picture of the fruits of British Columbia.

To-day Mr. Munn told a TIMES reporter that the probabilities of fruit canning in this Province were immense, but one drawback existed, and that was the lack of variety in fruits. Growers did not attend to this, and instead of propagating varieties, contented themselves with letting a few sorts of plums grow at hap-hazard over their ranches. Other fruits would grow equally well, such as peaches, grapes, apricots, etc., but unfortunately they were not cultivated extensively enough to give the canner a chance to make a good variety.

The fruit put up by Mr. Munn is of an excellent kind, and shows that British Columbia cannot be surpassed as a producer of well-flavored and fine fruit. Several samples have been sent on to Toronto exhibition, and easterners will be able to see and sample the products of the western coast. The whole of this season's pack has been eagerly sought after by dealers, and had he twenty times as much on hand a ready sale could be had.

CHANGE OF VENUE.

The Prosecution in the Intimidation Cases Object to Nanaimo.

The defendants lately committed for trial on a charge of intimidating Jos. B. Hugo, of Wellington, have been served with notice that the prosecution, through Mr. C. E. Pooley, will apply in the Supreme Court at Victoria on Friday morning for a change of venue from the Nanaimo assizes to the Victoria assizes.

The prosecuting witness, in his affidavit, in support of the application, after reciting the occurrence of the mass meeting, the lock-out, and the proceedings up to the arrival of the militia, then says:—

That Nanaimo and District are mining centres and the Vancouver Coal Company have four mines in the vicinity of Nanaimo employing 700 or 800 men, nearly all of whom, excepting those who work at Northfield, reside at Nanaimo, and the miners at Northfield reside in the District in a village called Northfield. Besides the miners of the Vancouver Coal Co., the East Wellington Company, whose mine is within the same District, employ a large number of men. Fully four-fifths, to the best of my belief, of the men employed about the mines in the Nanaimo district are members of the Union and in active sympathy with the men who have quit work, and who are engaged in besetting those of us who go to work. As I am informed and verily believe there have been carried in said processions an effigy of a man being hanged upon a scaffold with one leg painted black, to denote that he is a blackleg,) which is the term applied to those who go to work against the will of the union) and also a black flag denoting destruction.

That the Nanaimo Free Press, the only newspaper published in Nanaimo, has a printed subscription list in aid of the non-workers. The names of several of the business men and the public of Nanaimo are entered as subscribers. The said newspaper warmly supports the cause of the union. The town of Nanaimo has also been actively canvassed by the union men for subscriptions with success.

The jury-list of Nanaimo are largely composed of miners; and public meetings have been held at Nanaimo condemning the men who work and applauding and sympathizing with the Union in the present movement.

I am quite satisfied that an unprejudiced trial of the charges against the defendants to these proceedings cannot be had at Nanaimo by July.

It is understood, says the Free Press that the defendants will not object to a change of venue, but will probably ask that it be taken to New Westminster instead of Victoria.

The Telegraph Office.

The manager of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company has instructed the local representatives to procure quarters in the new Musgrave building, to be erected in Trounce avenue. The new building will be completed in the course of a few months. The rooms for the use of the telegraph company will be large and commodious, a safe and other facilities which the demands of a growing business necessitate, will be provided. No more convenient place could have been selected.

Steam Laundry, telephone No. 497. Branch offices, 74 Yates street and Trounce alley.

Fifty-eight pieces linoleums, latest designs in all widths and qualities, just arrived at John Weiler's.

Thermometer at Cochrane & Munn's.

Temperature to-day, 78 deg.

Men's Pants Made to Order,

$2.00, $3.00 and $4.00 per pair, at Russell, McDonald & Co.'s, 134 Doug[illegible]

Baggage Express.

The Driard Transfer Co., Northern Pacific office, Government street, connects with all trains and steamboats. Baggage checked to Puget Sound and all eastern points. je12

New Arrivals.

Every day will be found in our city hotel registers the names of the new arrivals; but no mention will be made of the elegant lot of carpets just arrived for Hastie & Erskine. Persons furnishing will do well to see them at 62 Government street, before purchasing elsewhere. Patterns and prices are right. *

Liberal Speaker.

A gentleman of this city has received a letter from Mr. J. E. Remsburg, a liberal speaker of much note, who says he shall make a lecture tour of the west during the fall, and will probably speak at Victoria. Mr. Remsburg is said to be a very brilliant and powerful speaker, and it will be a rare treat to hear him.

Victoria West, I.O.G.T.

A very pleasant time was passed at Victoria West last evening by the Templars. After the regular work had been completed an entertainment was given which was greatly enjoyed. A recitation by Sister J. Campbell, reading by Bro. Bowman, song by Bro. Colby, and recitations by Bros. A. Semple, J. Craig and W. S. Stamer were well received.

Consul Wanted.

The need of a German consul in Victoria is becoming more apparent daily. An instance arose this morning which pointed out the need of such an official. The captain of the German ship Elise wished certain information and was vainly enquiring for his country's representative, and seemed considerably astonished when told no such official was stationed here. Several large German vessels are now in British Columbia waters and a great many Germans are residents here.

Caught in the Act.

When the Victoria Indians left for the canneries on the Fraser River, a number of them left some of their goods with a Store street storekeeper. Of course the goods were left in safe hands, and when the redmen went to get their goods they were handed over to them. But one of their number who had left a rifle and trunk along with the other goods has not returned, and the rest of the party proceeded to claim the whole lot. This was stopped, however by a friend of the absent one, and the goods now await him at the police station.

Death of Richard Baker.

Richard Baker died this (Thursday) morning at the residence of his brother, James Baker, aged 45 years. Deceased came to British Columbia in 1865, from London, Ont., where he was born, and resided for three years in Carriboo. Afterwards he came to Victoria, and has ever since been engaged in teaming in this city. For the past ten or twelve years deceased has been in poor health. He was never married and lived with his brother James Baker. Mr. Michael Baker of Yates street, is also a brother. His friends have the sympathy of the public.

An Uninteresting Programme.

The first part of the programme at the city police court was: One drunk, $5; one running over bridge, $5; two infractions of the health by-law, both remanded until to-morrow. The rest was a little more interesting, it being the case of F. Anderson charged with stealing a purse and $6 from a woman named Georgie Douglas. The police were of opinion that the city would be better off without Anderson, and so did his honor, so he ordered Anderson to pay the woman the amount alleged to have been stolen, and then to leave the city. The police will see that Anderson leaves town to-night.

Building Notes.

Mr. Humber, contractor, has laid the foundation for Musgraves new block in Trounce avenue, and brick work will commence immediately.

Gilmore & McCandless' new building is about completed.

Jno. Haggerty is getting on splendidly with the excavations for the new Canada Western hotel.

The new Colonial and Angel hotels will soon be ready for occupation.

Brick work is finished on Lenz & Leiser's new block, and the interior work will commence immediately.

The foundation for the new R. C. Cathedral is ready, and the principal builders, will now take the work in hand.

ESQUIMALT JUSTICES' COURT.

[Before Messrs. Fisher and Bullen, J. P.'s.]

The adjourned summonses against W. Nicholls, foreman of the tramway works on Esquimalt road, for assaulting H. S. Fairall, came up for hearing yesterday.

Mr. E. Wootton, from the office of Mr. Charles Wilson, stated that in consequence of the unauthorized adjournment for two weeks the case could not be proceeded with.

Mr. Gregory, of the firm of Belyea & Gregory, agreed with Mr. Wootton that the summons had lapsed.

Mr. Fisher, J. P., said that the adjournment was made more in the interest of the prosecution than the defense. He had ordered that $10 be paid into court by each side as security for costs.

Constable Campbell said that the defense had deposited $10, but that the prosecutor had declined to do so. The costs so far incurred amounted to $3.50.

Mr. Wootton said that Mr. Fairall, acting under advice of his counsel, declined to pay anything.

After some further remarks, the justices announced that the summonses could not be proceeded with.

Mr. Gregory then announced that the case of Nicholls vs. Fairall, for threatening to kill, would drop for the same reason.

STEAMERS BURNED.

Old O. R. & N. Co.'s Boats Go Up in Smoke at Gig Harbor.

News reached Victoria last night that two steamers belonging to the Union [illegible] been burned at Gig Harbor. The vessels were the old Welcome and the Eliza. These, with one or two others, have been for some time laid up, they having been superseded by the more modern craft now used.

Gig Harbor has for years been a sort of bone yard for the cast off and laid up steamers of the company, at times there being quite a fleet anchored there. On Tuesday night the two mentioned were set on fire and burned, becoming a total loss. The fact of the burning was not known in Tacoma until yesterday, and the news was brought over by the Sound steamer. The loss by the fire is about $10,000, with no insurance.

NO FIRE AT WELLINGTON.

The Times Correspondent Denies the Report.

On Tuesday afternoon a report was circulated in this city that No. 3 shaft of the Wellington mines was on fire. The TIMES, wishing to get at the facts of the matter sent to Wellington for a special but all they could obtain was that the mine was on fire and that it would have to be flooded. A dispatch received to-day from the TIMES' correspondent at Wellington, however, denies the report and says: "The report of the explosion and fire in No. 3 shaft is pure fiction. All is as if in a Rip Van Winkle sleep. The V. C. Company is almost rushed to death to fill the heavy demand for coal." The Free Press in mentioning the reports says: On making enquiries at the pit head the reporter found that the "fan," which is a very old one, had given out yesterday, and therefore became useless. This will necessitate the closing of this mine until a new "fan" is erected, although no work has been going on in this particular mine since the strike. There was not the slightest indications of a fire having taken place. It is impossible that the report could have been dispatched by wire, as the operator at Wellington must have been fully aware of the safety of these mines.

On proceeding towards the Chinese quarters, the reporter discovered that two of the shacks in which the Chinamen were recently living, were burned down on Monday night, which was caused by an over heated stove pipe, and as the cabins were of little account, they were allowed to burn out.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

There were 50 new arrivals at the Driard yesterday.

Ask for "Montserrat" Lime-Fruit Juice and take no other.

Knights of Pythias public parade and supper at Steitz's to-night.

A strong southerly wind blew a great deal of the bad smell out of Chinatown to-day.

Some of the latest novelties in the new lot of silverware just received by Lange & Co. *

The two new locomotives for the Westminster Southern have arrived, with many cars, etc.

Mr. E. A. Cook, of Port Hammond, has leased Mr. D. Docksteader's farm, and will reside there for a short time.

Most people never know what real hard work is until they take a holiday and try to enjoy themselves for a few weeks.

The Abyssinia passed outwards this morning, bound for Japan and China. She carried a large cargo and a full passenger list.

Two baskets full of apples and two of vegetables are Officer Irvine's latest seizures from Chinamen who refused to pay their license.

The August number of the B. C. Property Register is to hand and contains some reliable information interesting to buyers of real estate.

The Victoria and Esquimalt pilotage board has been increased from three to five members. Robert Ward, Esq., is one of the new members.

Both telegraph lines via Vancouver and Dungeness, were unworkable during the greater portion of the day. Result, a short press dispatch.

One hundred and eighteen 5 tael boxes of opium were seized at San Francisco on board the schooner Montserrat which carried coal from San Francisco.

Forest fires of small dimensions are burning in several parts of New Westminster district. It is noticed that the fires this summer are much smaller than in former years, but at the same time the destruction of valuable timber is larger than it should be.

Mr. Harding, Lulu Island farmer has made the good record this season of raising 48 tons of wheat from 23 acres (over 62 bushels per acre), and the grain which was standing about two weeks ago, has all been harvested, threshed on the field and disposed of already.

An alarm of fire was turned in yesterday afternoon, and a run out by the department resulted in finding that the chimney of a Chinese laundry on Yates street had been afire. No legal proof could be obtained of the fact, however, as the Mongolians had put the blaze out.

A Michigan lumbering company has purchased a mill site of 30 acres at Steveston, from Mr. M. English, paying therefore the sum of $6000. It is the intention of the company to construct one of the largest mills in the Province, operations on which will begin in about two months.

The Vancouver News advocates the use of brandy for the purpose of reviving Montreal commercial travellers after they have taken a bath in the Pacific ocean. We can suggest a better remedy: Offer the gasping drummer an order for a car load of goods he would come back to life instantly, even although he was so far gone with too much water as to have had a glimpse of the gates of paradise.

Capt. J. N. Wallingford and wife of Seattle, and Mrs. L. N. Patterson of Minneapolis came down from Alaska last evening by the Queen, and are guests of Mrs. Frank Sears. Among the souvenirs of the trip secured by Mr. Wallingford was an Esquimo dog of [illegible] This interesting sample of the dog kind answers closely the published descriptions of him. Prettier animals we have seen, but never one more headstrong and voracious. He will eat anything, and his appetite is insatiable. The really curious feature of the dog, however, as showing the influence of heredity, is his propensity for pulling. His kind are all noted pullers, and this fellow although never having been "broke," fairly drags the party after him who is leading him, if we may thus describe his leading trait through the medium of a "bull." The dog is certainly unique, and will constitute an interesting feature of Mr. Wallingford's front yard bric-a-brac.

BIRTH.

AARONSON—In this city, on the 27th inst., the wife of A. Aaronson of a son.

DIED.

HUMPHREYS—At the residence of Mrs. Watkins, Meares street, on the morning of the 28th inst., Thomas Basil Humphreys, a native of Liverpool, Eng., aged 50 years and 5 months.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, on Friday, the 29th inst., at 2:15 p.m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

BAKER—In this city, on the 28th inst., Richard Baker, a native of London, Ont., aged 45 years.

The funeral will take place from Jas. Baker's residence, 65 Pembroke street, on Saturday at 2:30 p. m.

FLEWIN—In this city, on Aug. 28th at 4:30 a.m. of cholera infantum, Irma Genevieve, infant daughter of A. C. and M. A. Flewin, aged 3 months and 24 days.

The funeral will take place at 2:30 p. m. on Friday afternoon, from the parents' residence, 86 Chatham street.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—*U. S. Government Report, Aug. 17 1889.*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT "THE BRITISH Columbian Investment and Loan Society Limited," will, after the expiration of three months from the date hereof, apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to have its name changed to "The British Columbia Deposit and Loan Company, Limited."

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Bastion street, Victoria.
Dated the 27th day of Aug. A.D. 1890. au28-3m

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED

UP TO WEDNESDAY THE THIRD DAY of September, inst., at 4 p.m., at the office of the undersigned for the position of Caretaker of the City Hall. Salary $60 per month.

By Order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, Aug. 28th, 1890. au28

NOTICE to WATER CONSUMERS

Notice is hereby given that the water from the City Waterworks will be turned off the 16-inch main, for the purpose of testing the 12-inch main on Saturday next, the 30th inst., between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.

By order of the Water Committee.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C
City Hall, Aug. 28, 1890. au28-1t

MUNICIPAL.

Tenders will be received until the 2nd day of September, next, at 4 p. m., at the office of the undersigned, for

The Construction of a fence at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Plan and specifications may be seen at the City Surveyor's office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Hall, Aug. 28, 1890.

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On the premises of the late Joseph Dougan.

9 Cows, 4 Calves, 1 yoke work Oxen, 1 Bull, 1 Horse unbroken, 1 set single Harness, 1 Buggy, 1 Plow and Farm Implements, Churn, Milk Pans, etc., Camp Chairs, Bedstead, Saws, Brace and Bits, etc. Also Oaton and Timothy hay.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CARD OF THANKS.

IN RECOGNITION OF THE SERVICES rendered by the members of the Victoria Fire Department, at the fire on board my steamer, the "Badger," last evening, I beg to tender [illegible] those citizens who also assisted.

au28-1t CAPT. MICHAEL HARE.

MONEY TO LOAN.

The Queen City Building, Loan and Saving Association, L'td.

The Board of Directors will receive bids on

Wednesday, September 3rd, at 8 p.m.

AT THE

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 46 FORT ST.

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$1000 with the privilege of an additional $1000 to be loaned by the Association.

For particulars apply to the undersigned. BY-LAWS AND PROSPECTUS of the Association furnished on application. By order
au28-7t B. WILLIAMS, Sec.

U. R. K. of P.

THE OFFICERS AND SIR KNIGHTS OF Victoria Division No. 2, U. R. K. of P., will muster at the Armory, over Grimm's carriage factory, Johnson street, on Thursday, Aug. 29th, at 8 p.m., full uniform.

Penalty for non-attendance will be enforced.
au27-2t H. F. W. BEHNSEN, Captain.

PAINTING.

MRS. GEO. WISE'S CLASS WILL COMmence next Monday. Hours from 1 to 4 p.m., on Mondays and Thursdays.

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Assisted by the best local talent, in aid of
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Saturday, Aug. 30th.
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Tickets can be procured from M. W. Waitt & Co., and members of the Association. au27-4t

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TO

Rear-Admiral Hotham, C.B., and Officers of the Squadron.

ASSEMBLY ROOMS,

AUGUST 29, 1890.

Tickets can be obtained of the following gentlemen: T. R. Smith, Esq.; W. H. Ellis, Esq.; T. B. Hall, Esq.; Alderman Holland, Ald. Goodacre, W. Dalby, Esq.; A. McCandless, Esq.; T. Shotbolt, Esq.; Ald. Smith, W. Lorimer, Esq.; A. W. Jones, Esq.; D. R. Harris, Esq.; G. A. McTavish, Esq.; C. A. Vernon, Esq.; Mayor Grant, E. G. Richards, Esq.

OR

J. R. ANDERSON,
Hon. Secretary.
Victoria, B. C. Aug. 23, 1890. aug23-td

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE PUBLIC DECEIVED.

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Stanley says once for all that these people cannot by any possibility publish anything of his but what they have dishonestly appropriated from his previous works. His own book will bear the title "In Darkest Africa," and will be published in two octavo volumes, containing about 1130 pages, 16 maps, 150 illustrations, and will bear on the title page the imprint of the Chas. Scribner's Sons and the Presbyterian News Co.

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J. B. KERR,
Manager J. K. GILL & CO., Victoria, B.C.
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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Re J. Dougan, Deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the estate of the above named, deceased, are requested to forward the same to the undersigned, on or before the 22nd day of September next, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay the same forthwith.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for the Administrator.
Dated this 22nd day of Aug., A.D. 1890.
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